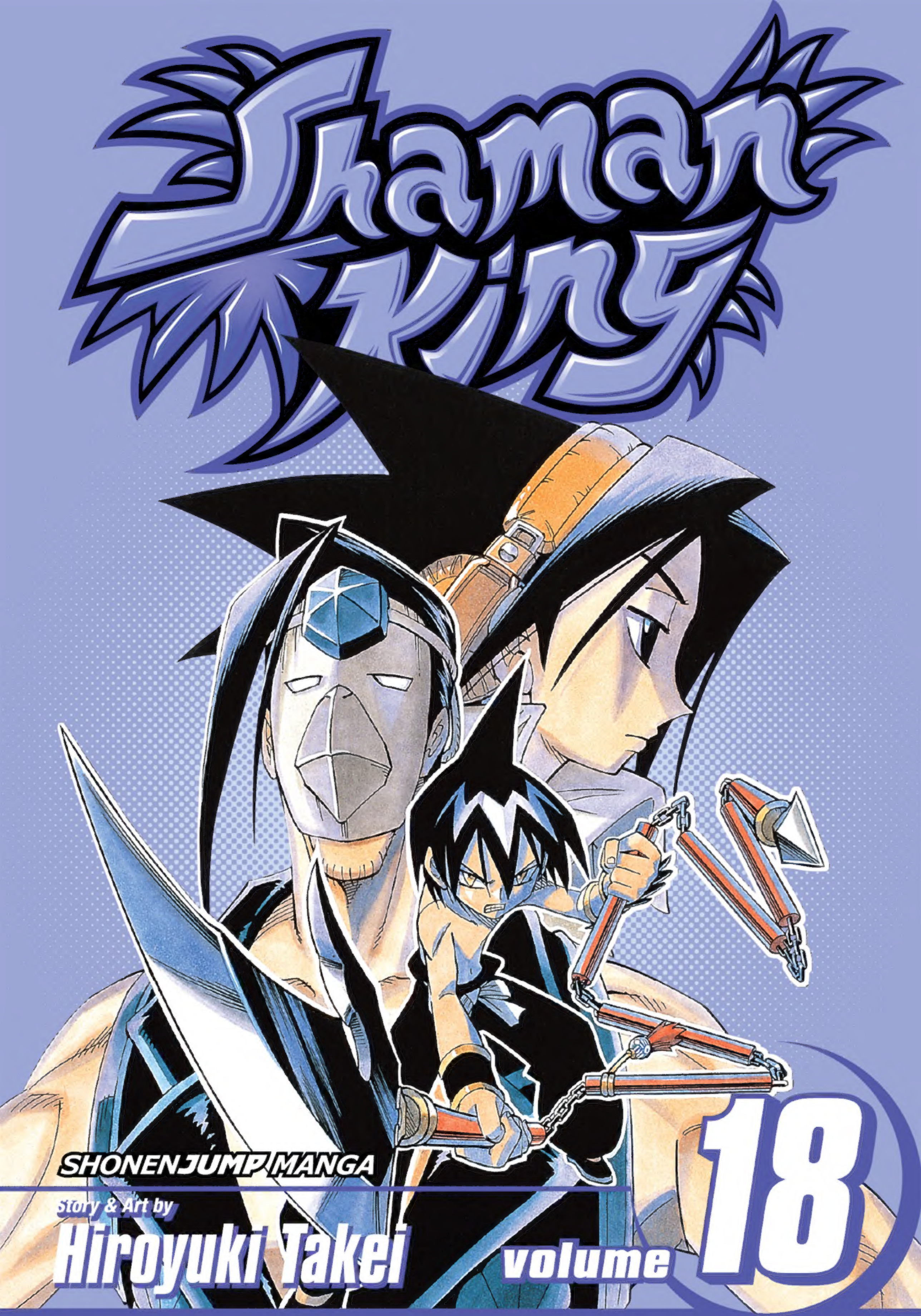
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It's 2002. I turn 30 this year. Only ten years until I hit the venerable age of 40. Just a little more effort.

—*Hiroyuki Takei*

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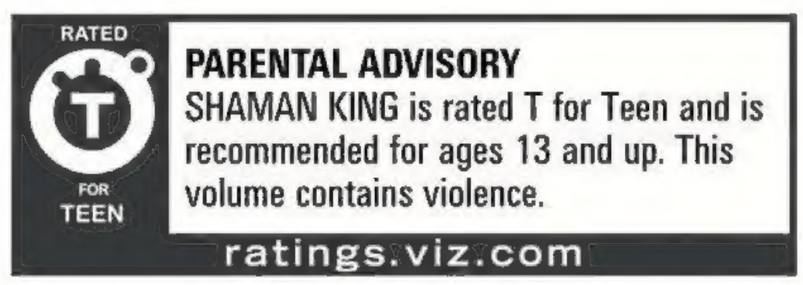

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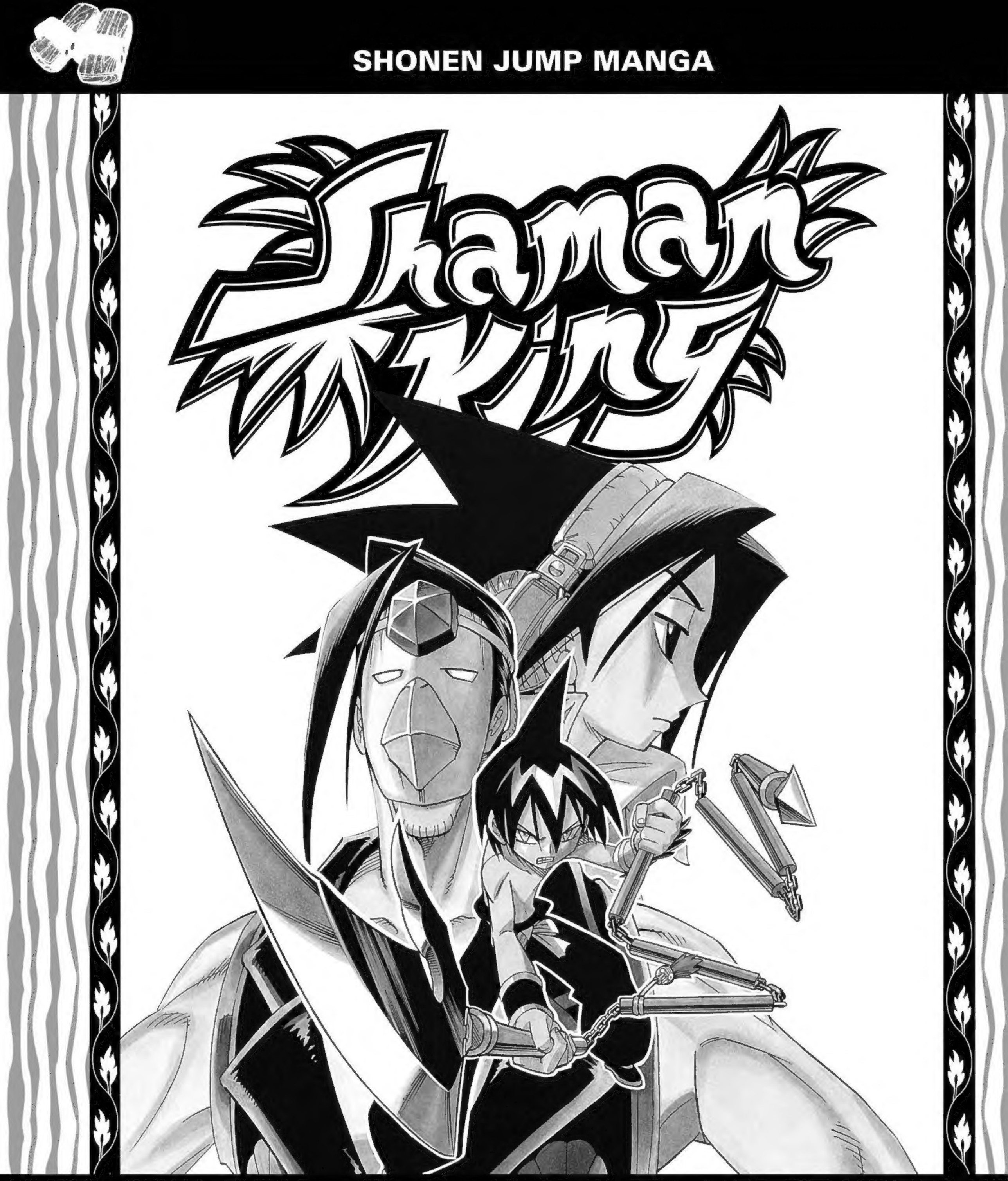

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CHARACTERS

Bason
Ren's spirit ally is the ghost of a fearsome warlord from ancient China.

Tao Ren
A powerful shaman and the scion of the ruthless Tao Family.

Yoh Asakura
Outwardly carefree and easygoing, Yoh bears a great responsibility as heir to a long line of Japanese shamans.

Amidamaru
"The Fiend" Amidamaru was, in life, a samurai of such skill and ferocity that he was a veritable one-man army. Now he is Yoh's loyal, and formidable, spirit ally.

Joco
A shaman who uses humor as a weapon. Or tries to.

Mic
Joco's jaguar spirit ally.

Eliza
Faust's late wife.

Faust VIII
A creepy German doctor and necromancer who is now Yoh's ally. ally.

Horohoro
An Ainu shaman whose Over Soul looks like a snow-board.

Kororo
Horohoro's spirit ally is one of the little nature spirits that the Ainu call Koropokkur.

"Wooden Sword" Ryu
On a quest to find his Happy Place. Along the way, he became a shaman.

Manta Oyamada
A high-strung boy with a huge dictionary. He has enough sixth sense to see ghosts, but not enough to control them.

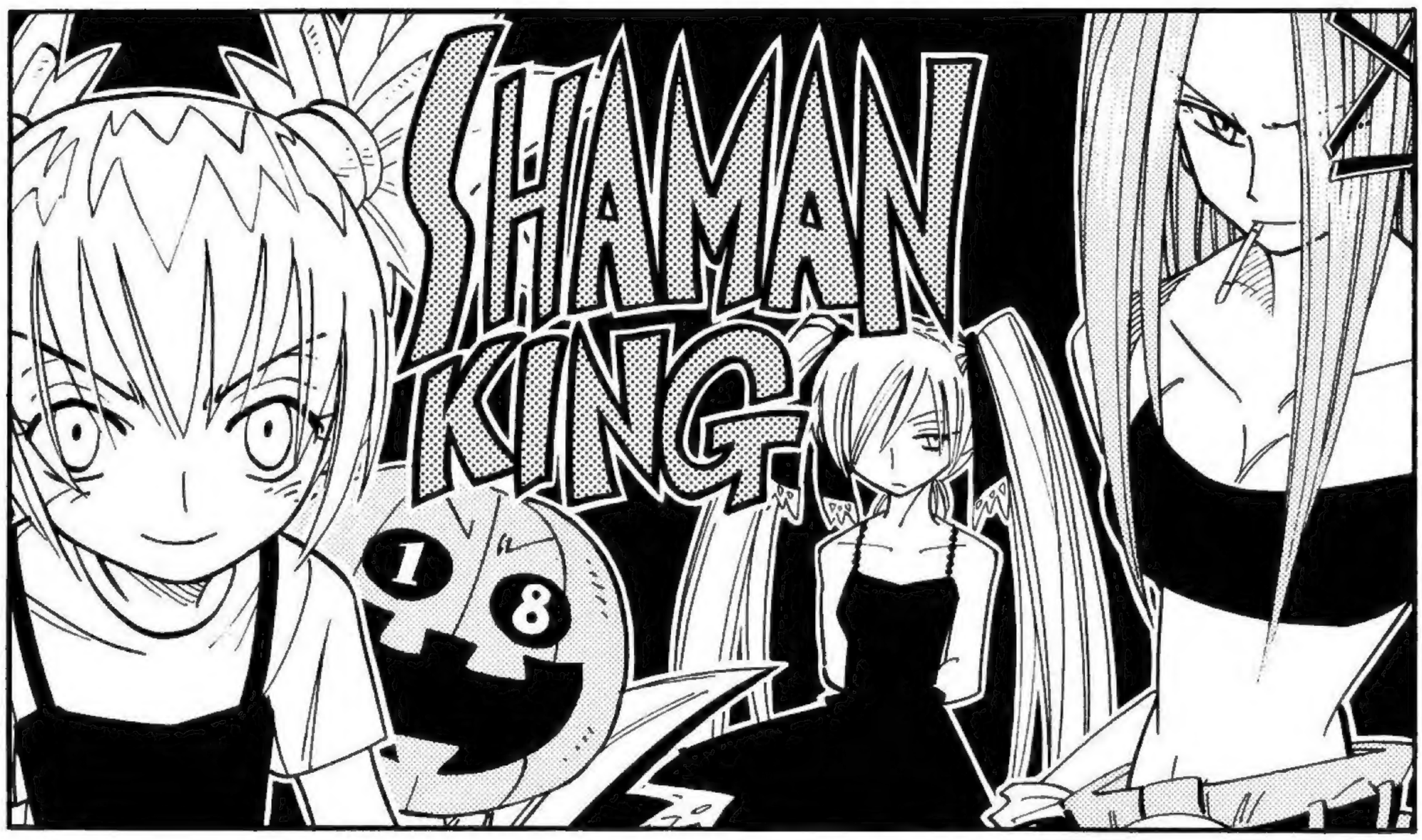
Anna Kyoyama
Yoh's butt-kicking fiancée. Anna is an itako, a traditional Japanese village shaman.

Tokagero
The ghost of a bandit slain by Amidamaru. He is now Ryu's spirit ally.

THE STORY THUS FAR

Yoh Asakura not only sees dead people, he talks and fights with them, too. That's because Yoh is a shaman, a traditional holy man able to interact with the spirit world. Yoh is now a competitor in the "Shaman Fight," a tournament held every 500 years to decide who will become the Shaman King and shape humanity's future.

As the tournament progresses, Yoh's father gives Ren a lesson in humility and offers to teach him the secrets of the Ultra Senji Ryakketsu. But further instruction is interrupted when Hao's minions attack. Shaken by the revelation that one of the attackers is the brother of a man he killed, Ren is mortally wounded, and only Yoh's last-minute intervention saves Team Ren from annihilation. Now, with Ren's life slipping away, Yoh is faced with a momentous decision.



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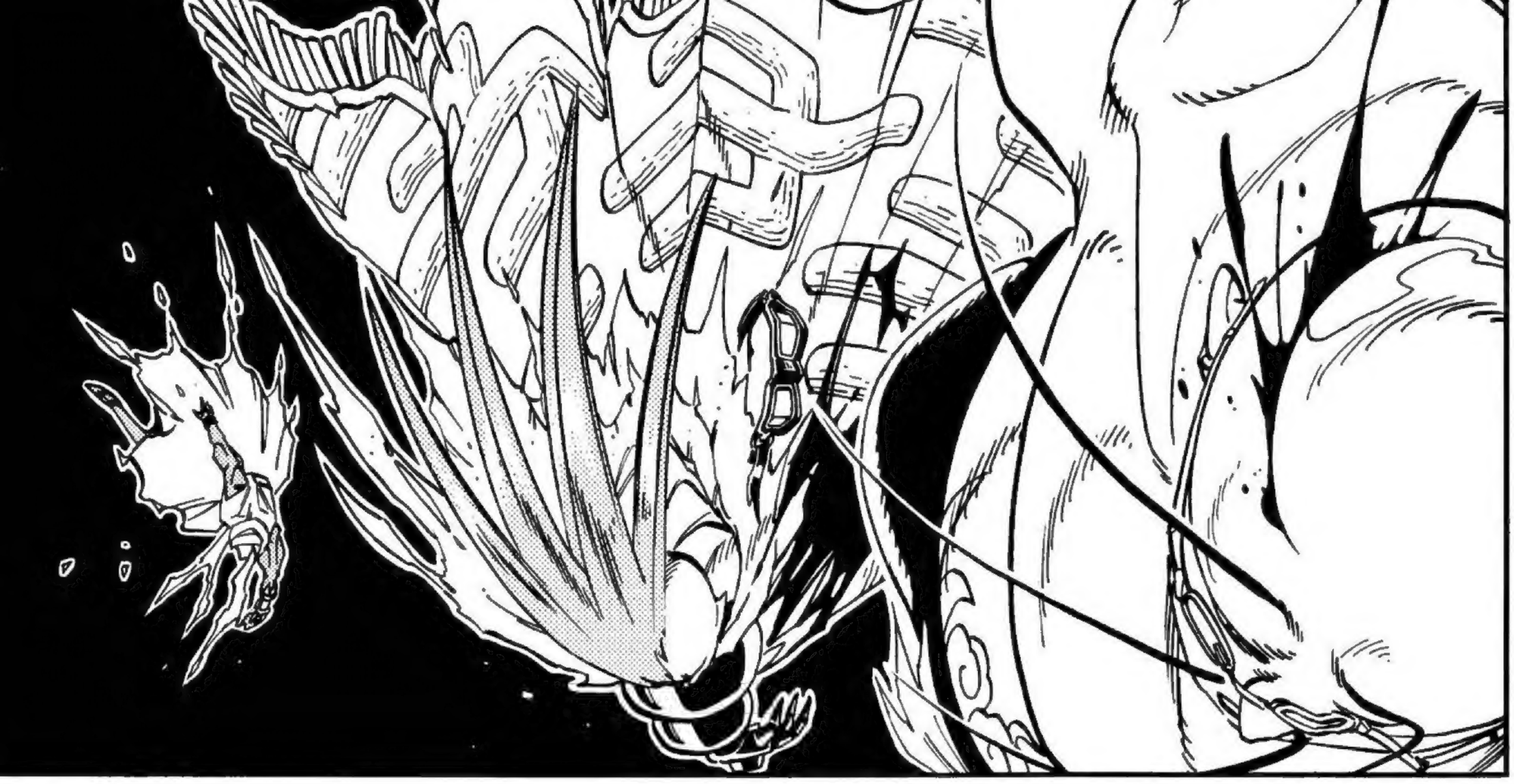

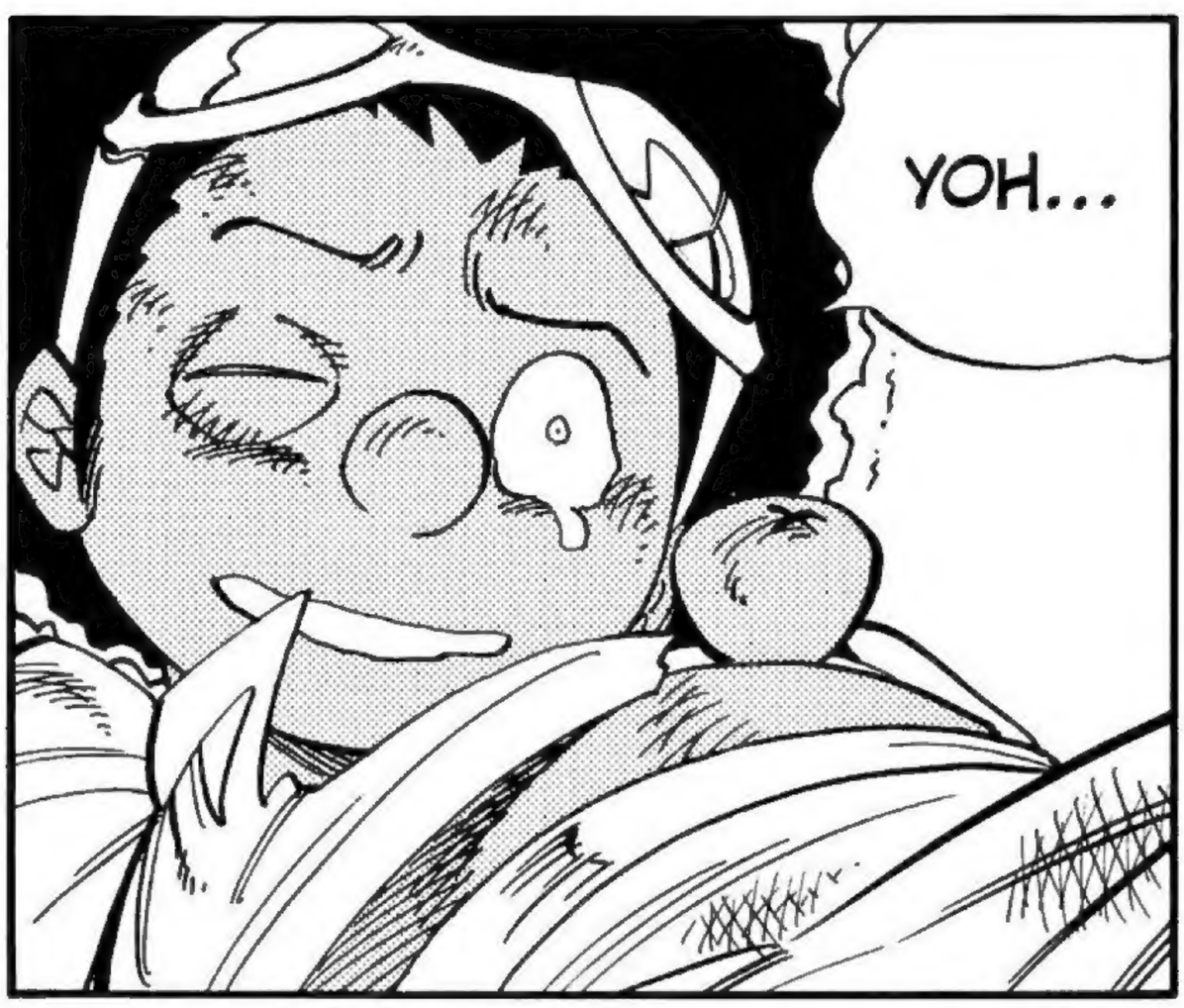
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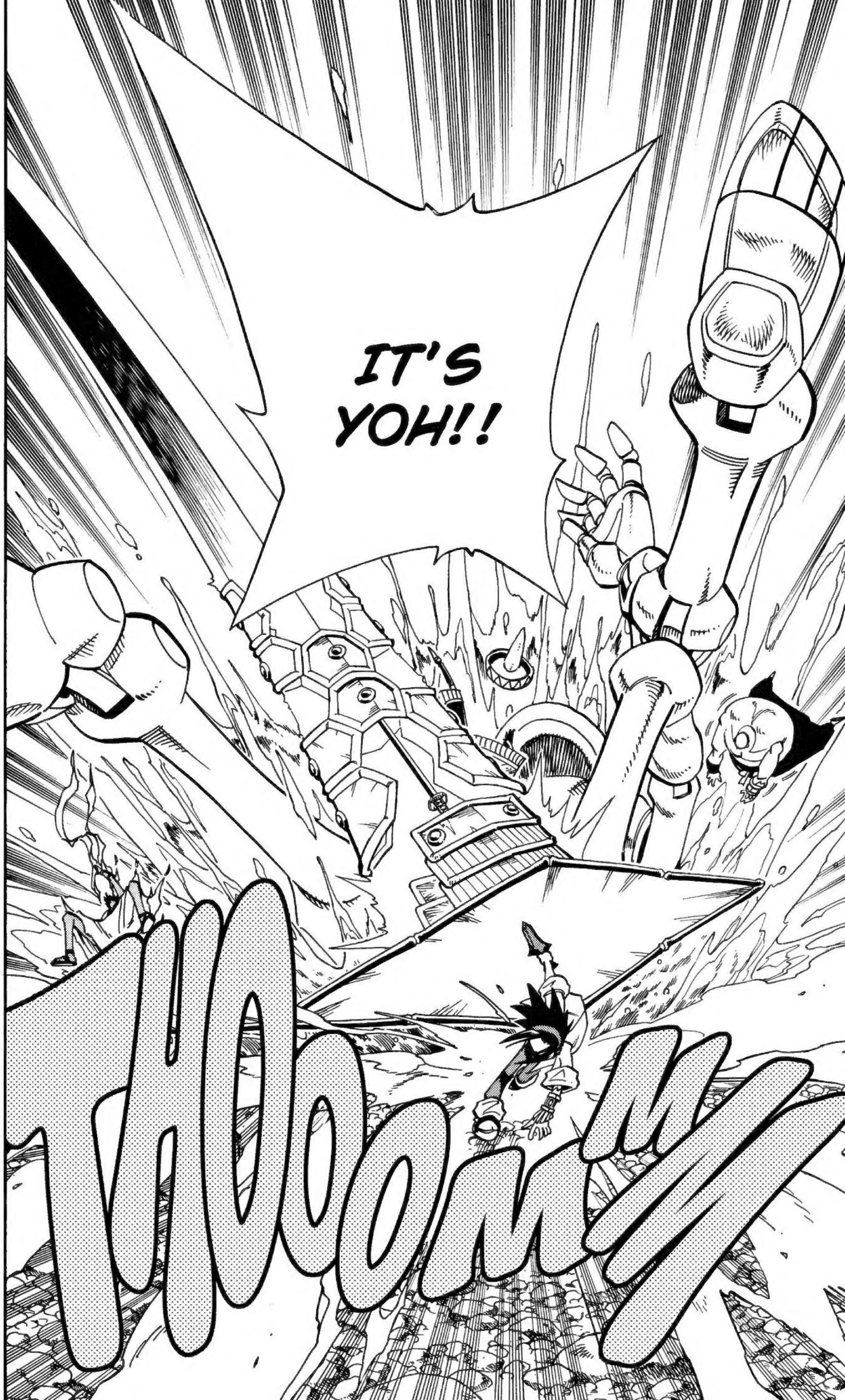

IT'S YOH!!
KIDOOM

Reincarnation 153: The Old Ren is Gone

SKREE-SKREE

ALL WITH ONE BLOW! BUT HOW?
ZANG CHING, PEYOTE, AND TURBINE...

WHAT ...?

...YOH ASAKURA?!
HOW DID YOU KNOW WHERE WE WERE...

FOOM

REN...

...THAT NICKROME WAS CHROM'S BROTHER.
...LOST HIS FOCUS WHEN HE FOUND OUT...

REN...
IT'S MY FAULT REN GOT HURT. I'M USELESS!
AH... I'M SORRY, YOH.

I SEE.

HOW'D YOU KNOW THAT?
HUH ?

IT MEANS REN'S STILL GOT A HEART.
THAT'S GOOD.

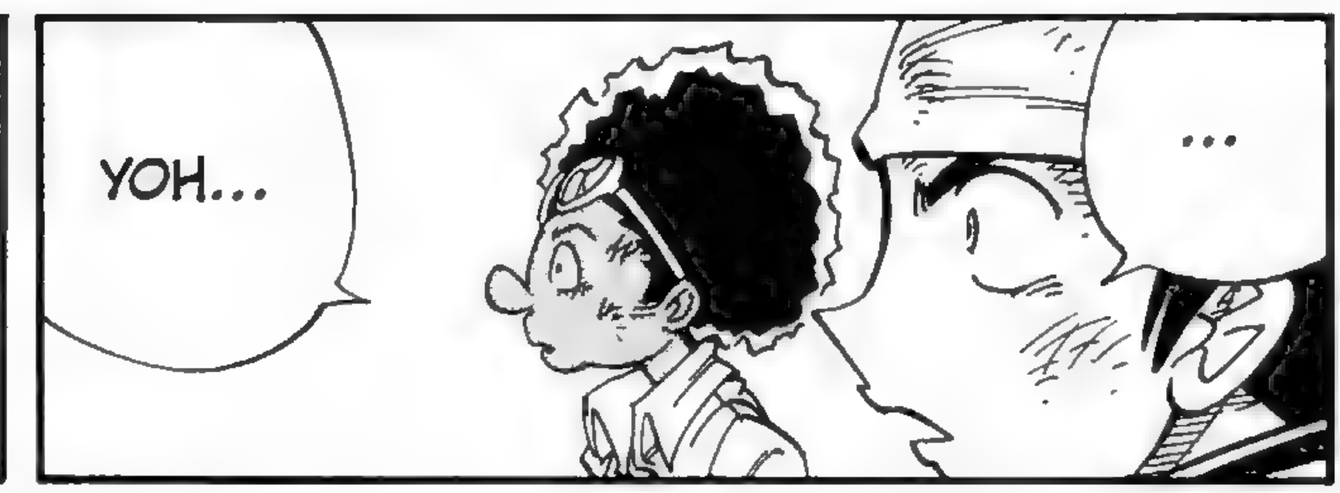
!

REN HAS MORE MANA THAN TECOLOTE DOES.
HE LOST BECAUSE HIS REMORSE RATTLED HIM.
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?! THIS IS A DISASTER!

BUT THAT REN IS GONE NOW.

IT DIDN'T USE TO BOTHER HIM TO HURT PEOPLE.

ARE YOU SATISFIED?

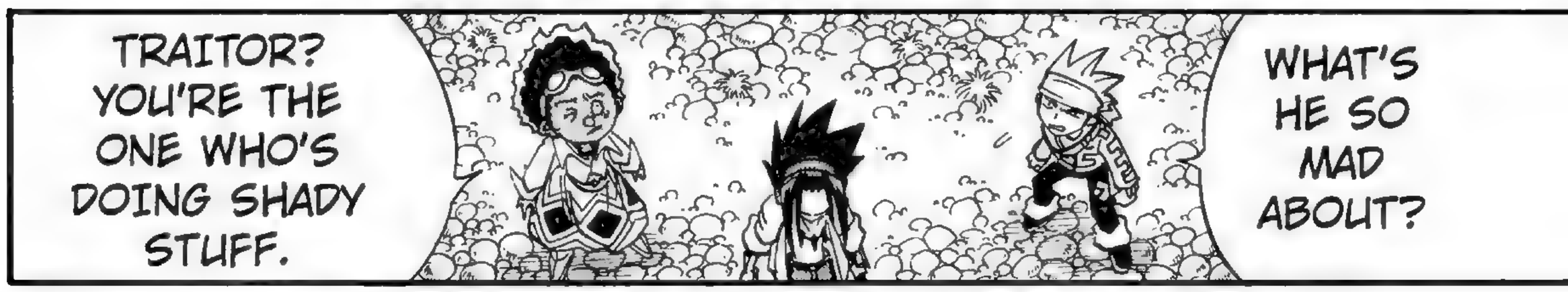


TAKE YOUR FRIENDS AND GO, NICKROME.

HE'S NOT THE PERSON WHO KILLED YOUR BROTHER ANYMORE.

...SILVA, WASN'T IT?!
SHAKE SHAKE
IT WAS...

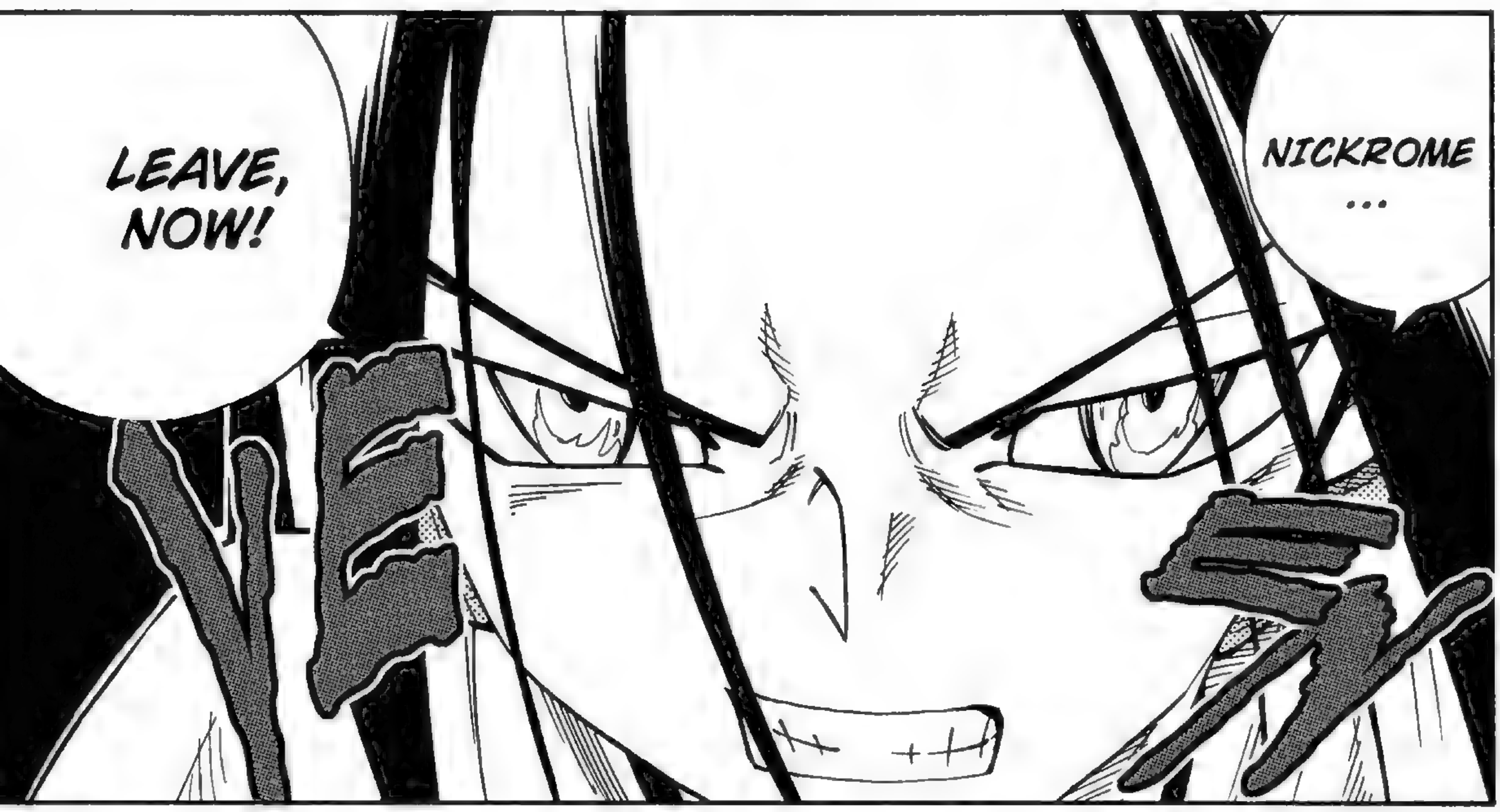
THAT TRAITOR !!
HE SENT YOU HERE AND TOLD YOU ABOUT ME!


TRAITOR? YOU'RE THE ONE WHO'S DOING SHADY STUFF.
WHAT'S HE SO MAD ABOUT?

YOU KNOW NOTHING ABOUT THE LAWS OF THE PATCH!!
SHADY ?!

WE HAVE TO SAVE REN.
ALL THAT CAN WAIT.

YEAH, AND WHY DOES HE CALL HAO HIS LORD?
WHAT'S HIS PROBLEM, YOH?


LEAVE, NOW!
NICKROME ...

DON'T JUST STAND THERE!
GRAH!!

I FEEL LORD HAO'S MANA RADIATING FROM HIM-AGAIN!

UNH!
GULP
WUMP

KILL HIM!!

THEY'RE BACK!
AH!

ESPECIALLY NOW THAT THOSE TWO ARE HERE.
YEAH...

WE DON'T HAVE ENOUGH MANA.
FORGET IT.

SORRY, NICKROME.
TUP

THUP

WHAT?!

IF YOU'RE SMART, YOU'LL DO WHAT HE SAYS.
THE CHIEF TOLD YOU TO GET LOST.

YOU DO THINGS I FIND INEXCUSABLE IN A FELLOW SKELETON MASTER.
I WOULD ENJOY FIGHTING YOU.

SHUP

PUNKS?
WANNA RUMBLE ...

HEY! IT'S RYU!

AND FAUST !!

AND I CAN'T SACRIFICE LORD HAO'S MINIONS WITHOUT HIS PERMISSION.

YOU'RE RIGHT, THEY HAVE MORE MANA THAN WE CAN HANDLE.

FUNBARI HOT SPRINGS ...

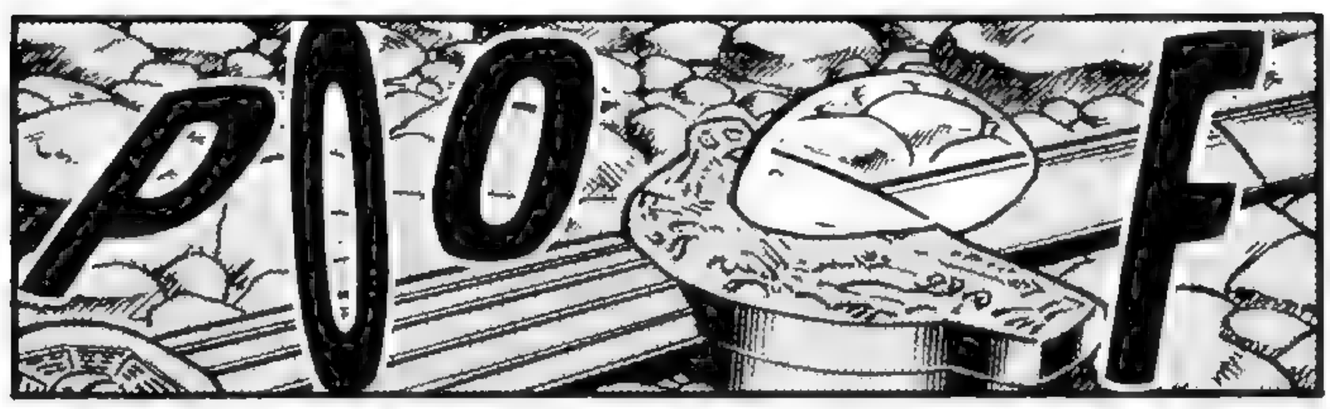
MY BROTHER CHROM GOT KILLED BECAUSE HE WAS SOFT!

BUT KNOW THIS, YOH ASAKURA !!

I DIDN'T COME HERE FOR REVENGE! I'M HERE IN THE INTERESTS OF MY LORD!!

FWAP

NICKROME...


POOF

UNH ...!
AAGH!!
BASON!!
BOOM

IWOOO

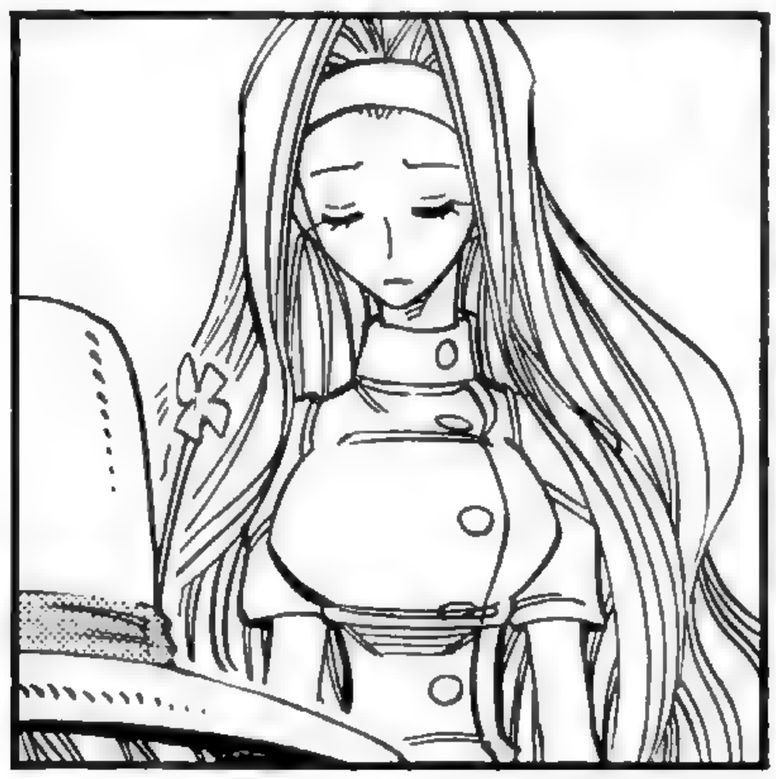
IT'S A GOOD THING YOU'RE HERE, DR. FAUST!!

OH YEAH, REN!!

MASTER !!

NO!!

Woooo



THERE IS NOTHING I CAN DO.

THESE INJURIES SENT REN INTO A STATE OF SEVERE SHOCK.

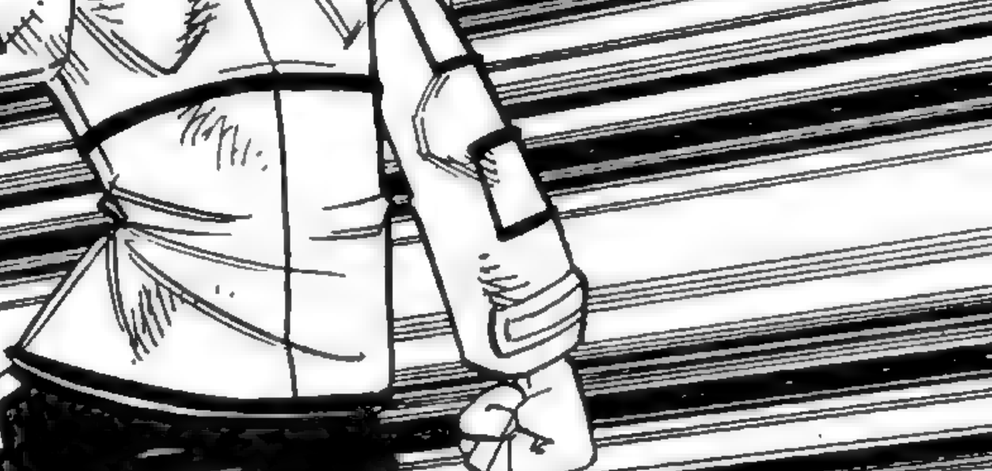
...HAS EXPIRED.

REN...

REN'S...
...DEAD?
...I CANNOT OVERCOME DEATH AGAIN.
I AM VERY SORRY TO SAY...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
...

CALM DOWN, HOROHORO!!

I THOUGHT YOU SAID REN WASN'T DEAD YET!!



I KNOW SOMEONE WHO CAN HELP HIM.

THERE'S STILL A CHANCE.

GULP

...SHE MIGHT BE ABLE TO SAVE REN.

WITH HER HEALING POWERS ...

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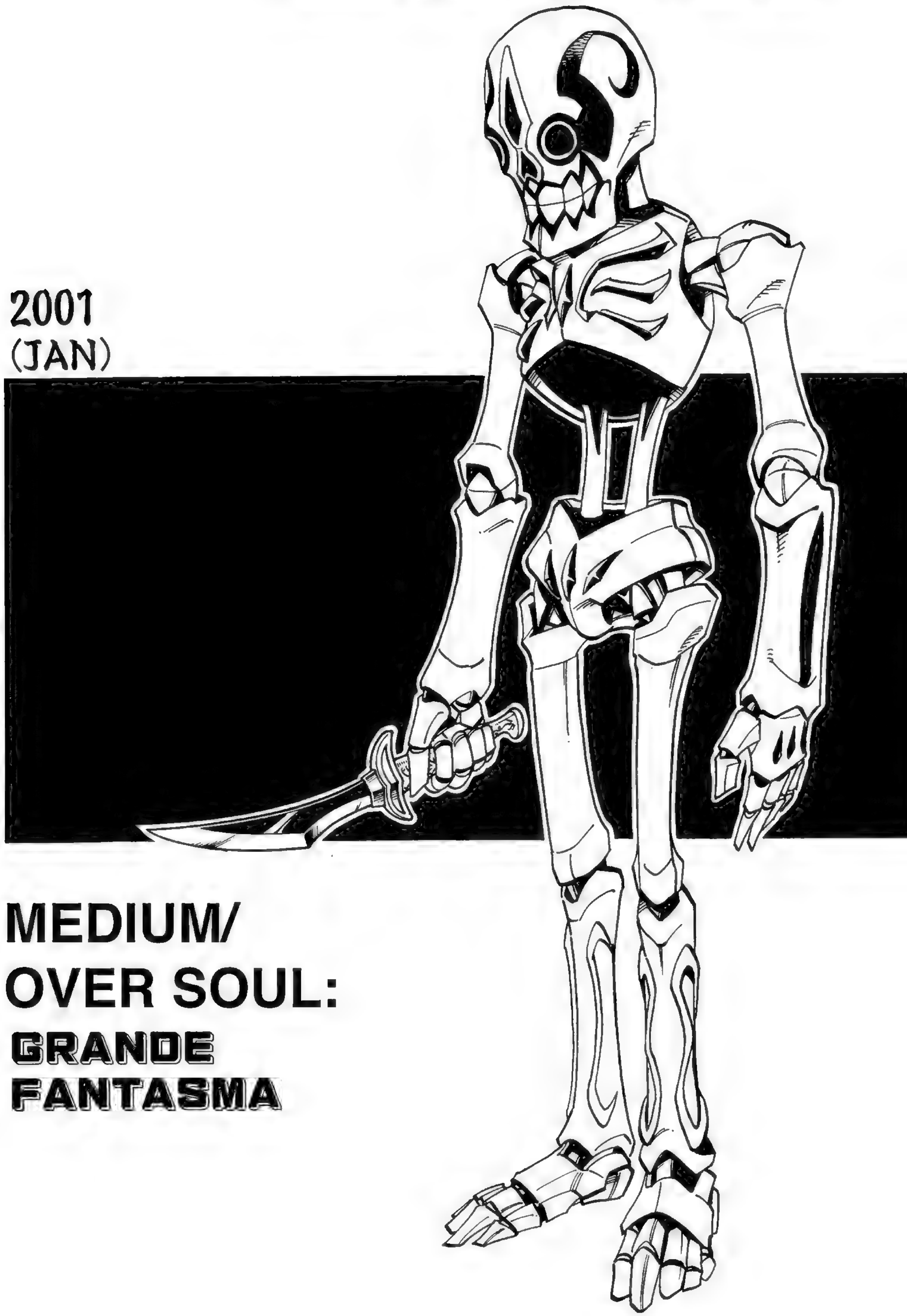

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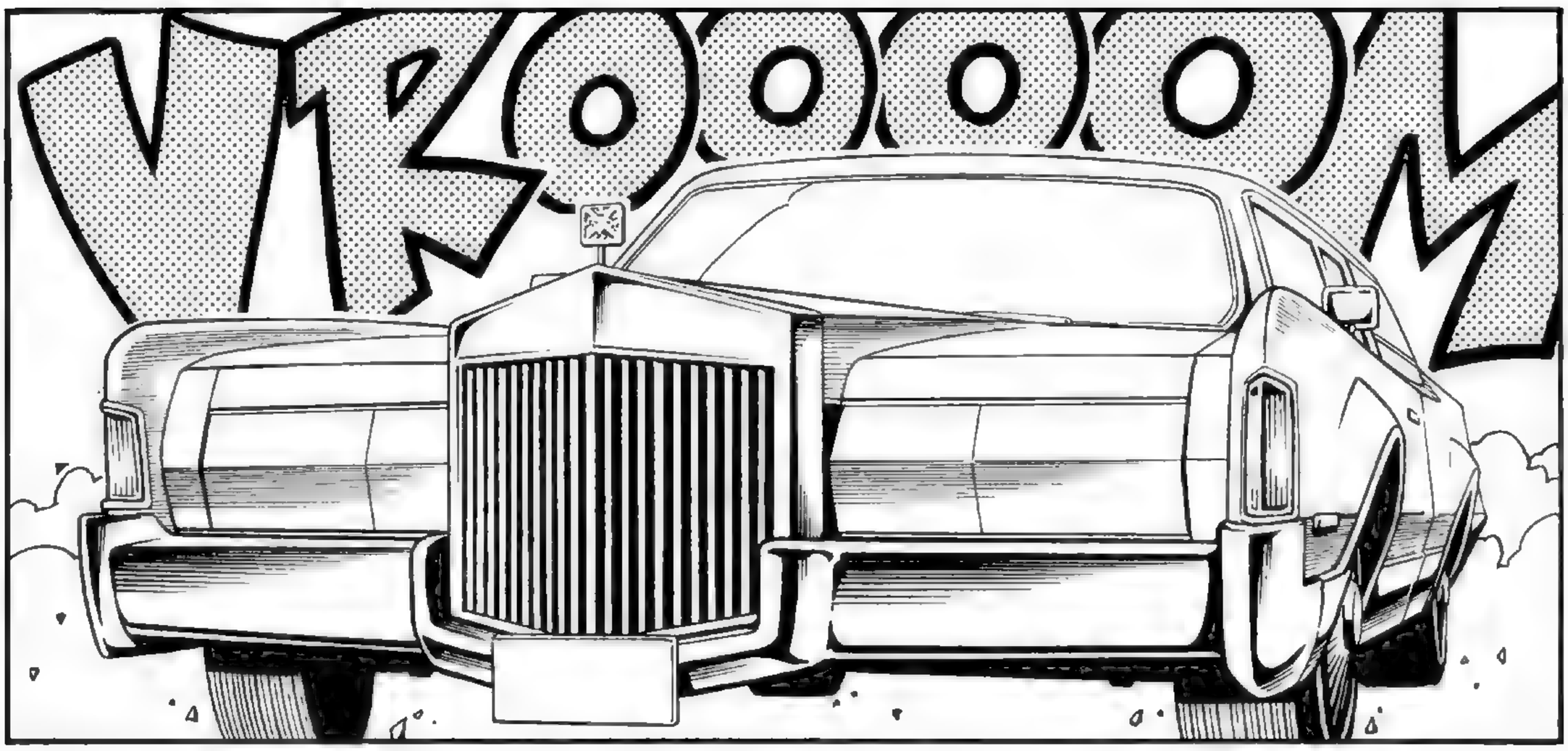

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I'M SURE SHE'LL AGREE TO HELP US.

JUST TELL HER I'LL DO ANY-THING SHE ASKS.

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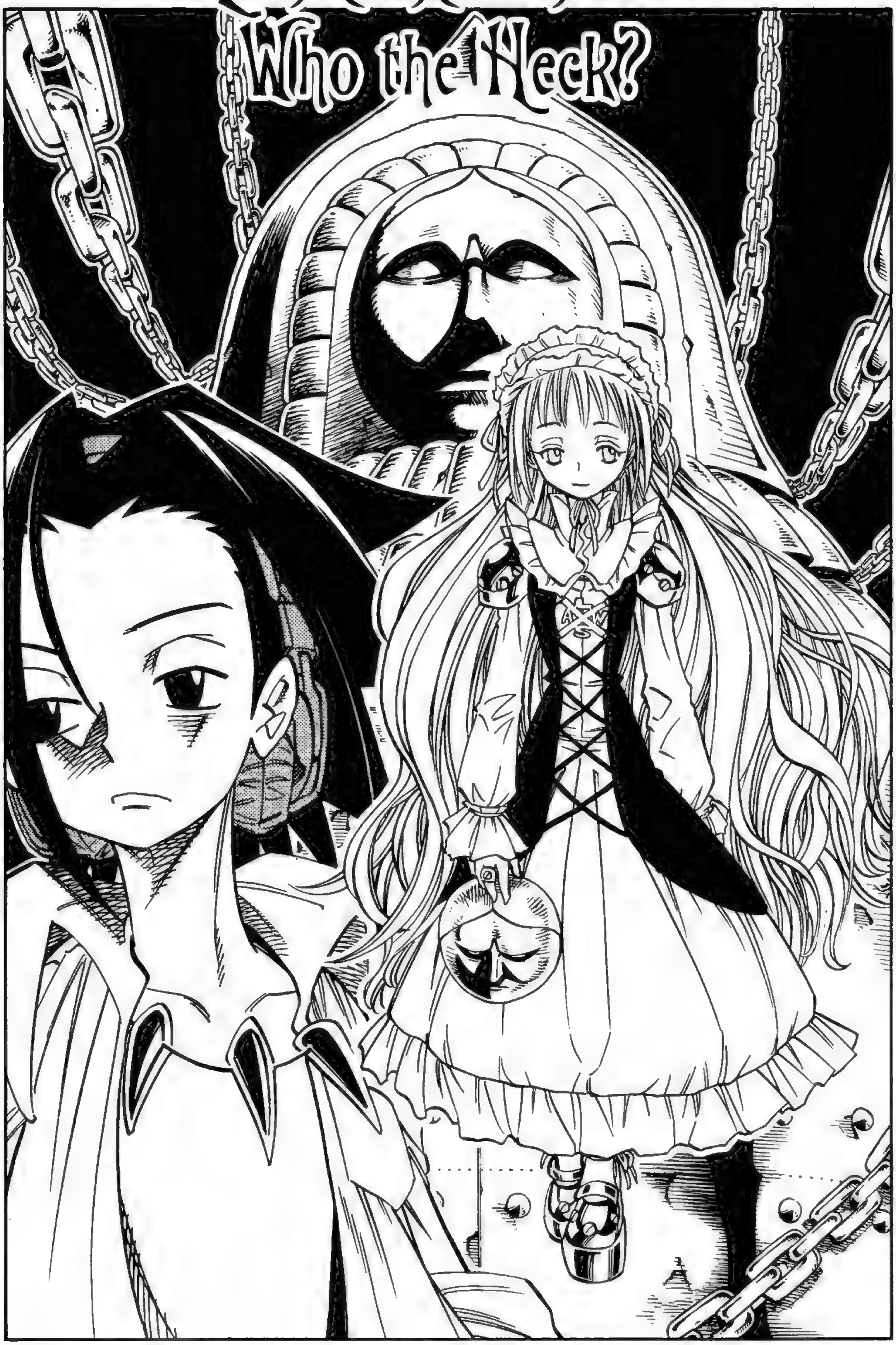

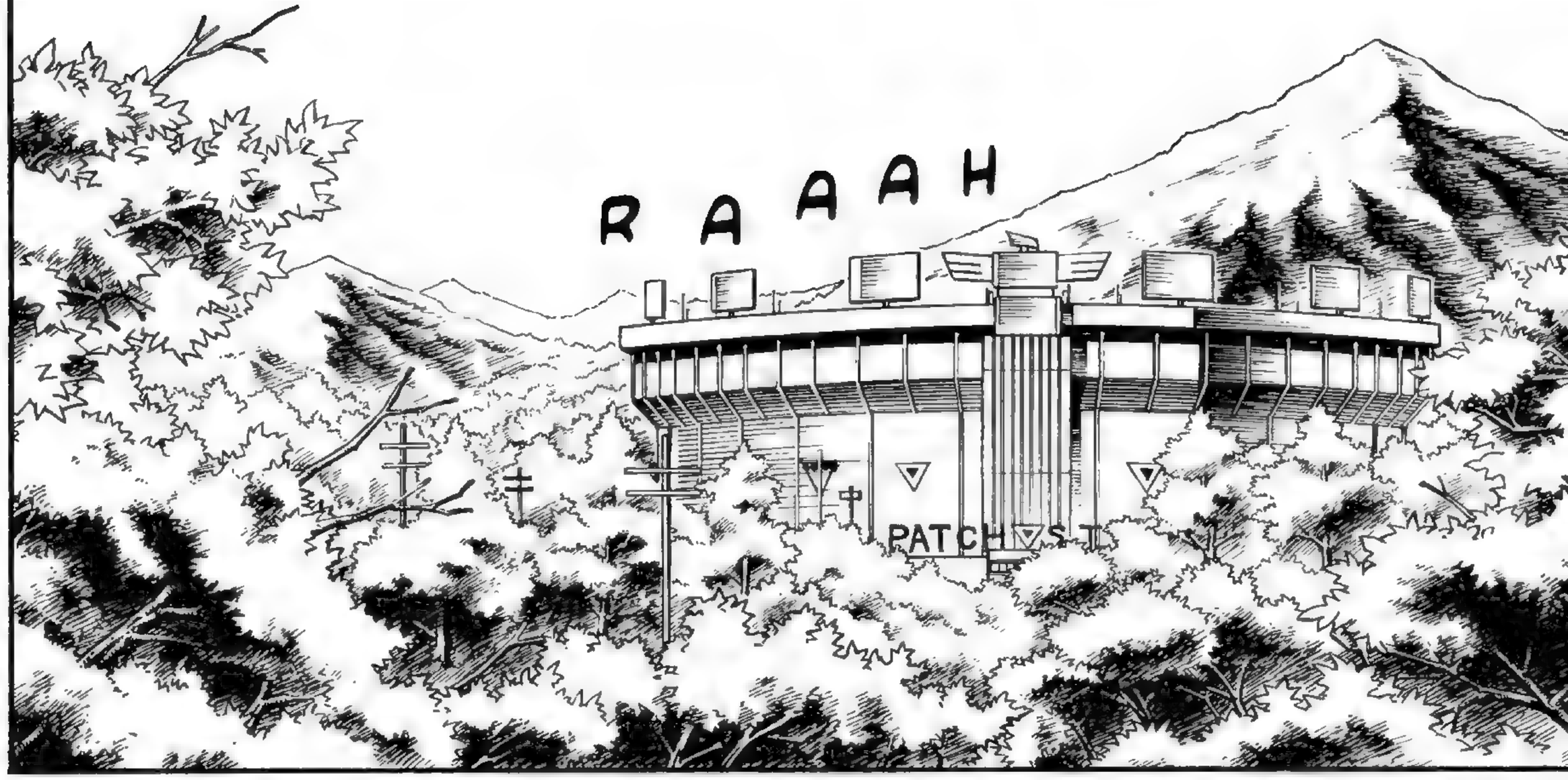
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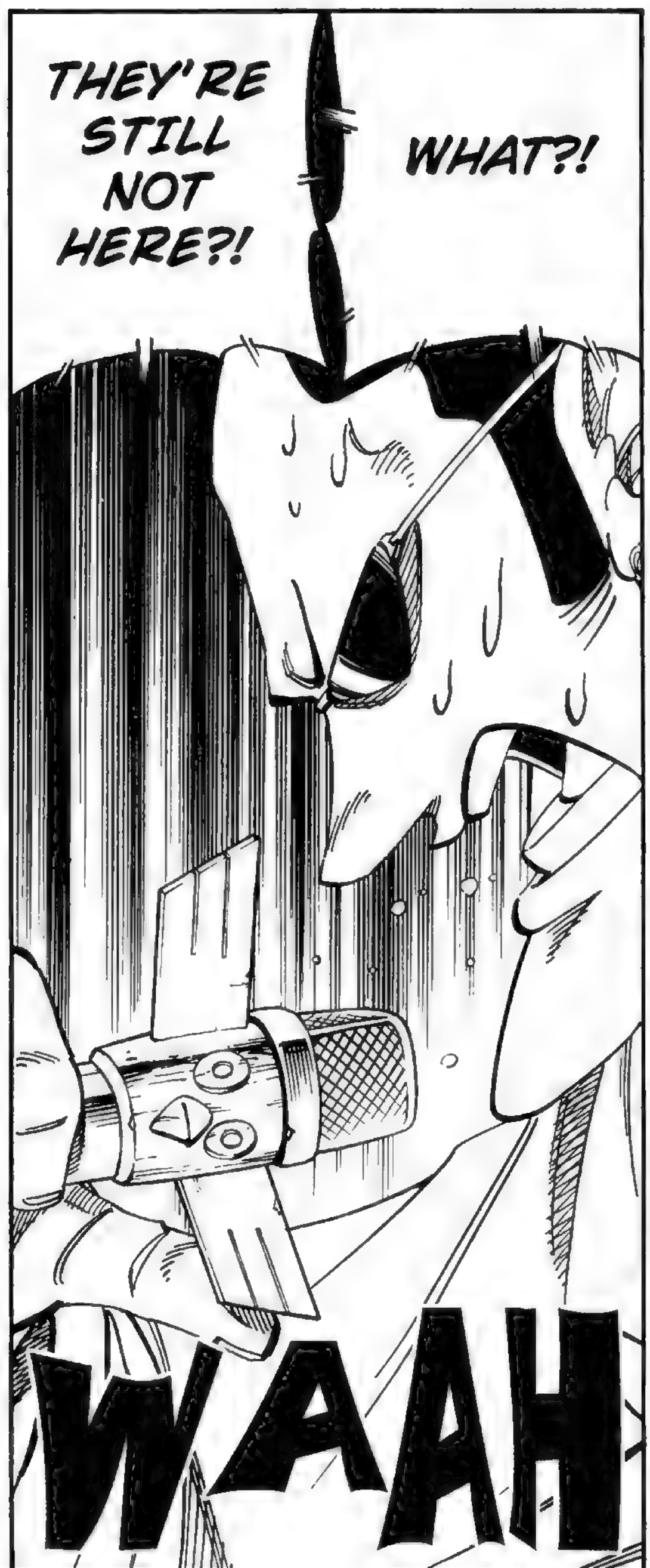
PATCH ST


THEY'RE STILL NOT HERE?!
WHAT?!
WAAH

RAAH

THEY SHOULD'VE BEEN HERE A LONG TIME AGO!

RAAH RAAH

WHAT'S GOING ON?! WHERE'S MICKEY ASAKURA'S TEAM?!

WILL TEAM MARIACHI WIN BY DEFAULT ?!

WE'RE JUST TOO SCARY FOR THEM.

HMPH... THEY MUST'VE CHICKENED OUT.

IF I THOUGHT I'D HAVE TO FIGHT HIM, I MIGHT WITHDRAW MYSELF.

THE ONE THEY'RE REALLY SCARED OF IS HAO.

I HOPE SO.

THE USUAL TROUBLE?

MICKEY ASAKURA IS THEIR FATHER. HE'S PROBABLY CAUGHT UP IN THE USUAL TROUBLE.

DON'T BE RIDICULOUS, KALIM.

DID THEY REALLY CHICKEN OUT?

LORD GOLDVA ...

...INVOLVING SPIRITS, OUTSIDE THE OFFICIAL SHAMAN FIGHT.

A BATTLE OF SURVIVAL ...

TELL RADIM TO GIVE THEM ANOTHER HALF-HOUR.

MAYBE THAT'S THE TRUE ESSENCE OF THE SHAMAN FIGHT.

WHAT'S GOING ON?

...

WE WERE JUST WAITING FOR MICKEY...

...AND ALL THESE LADIES SUDDENLY SURROUNDED US.

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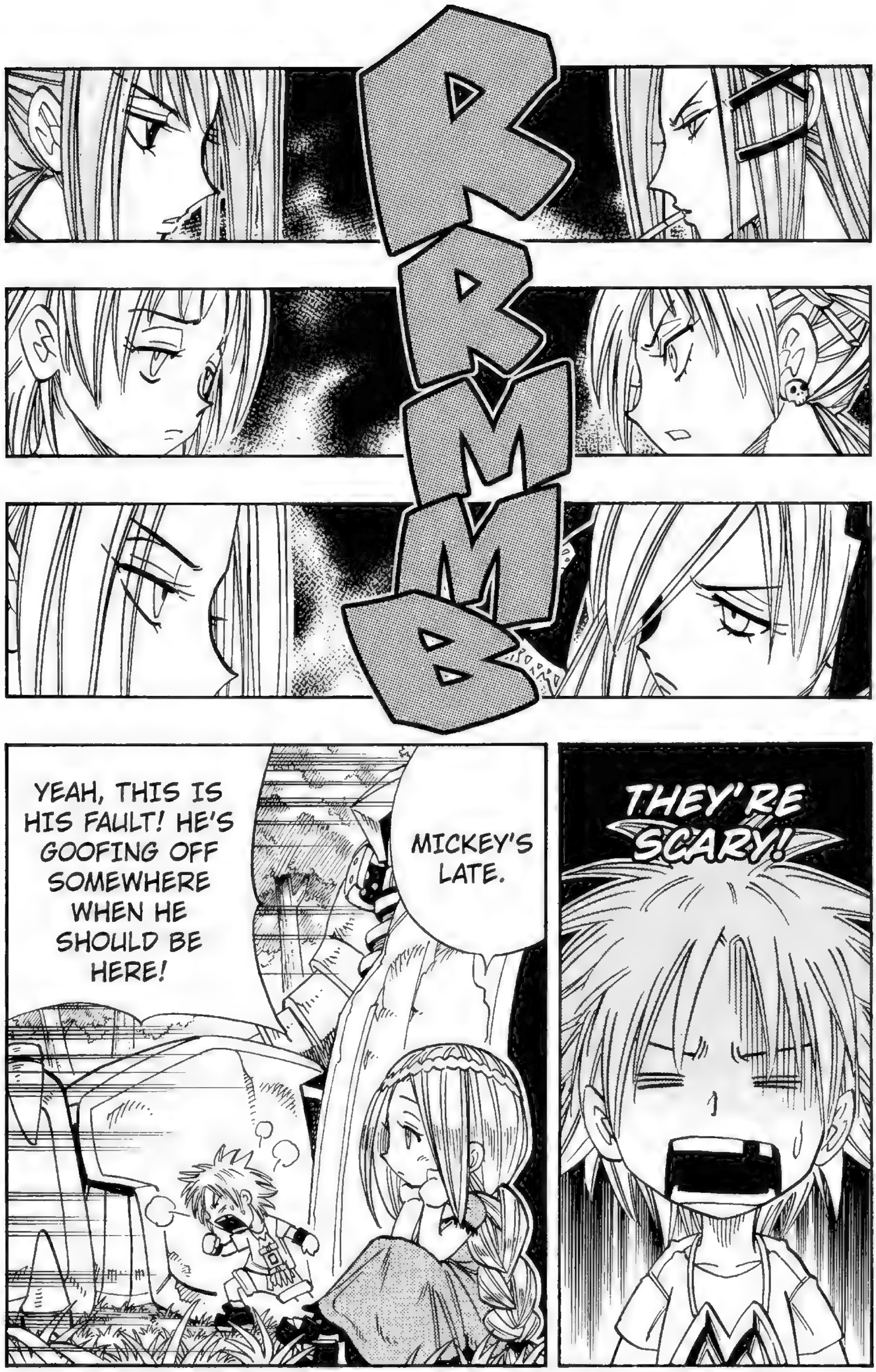

BMMMS
YEAH, THIS IS HIS FAULT! HE'S GOOFING OFF SOMEWHERE WHEN HE SHOULD BE HERE!
MICKEY'S LATE.
THEY'RE SCARY!

SHE'S MAKING SOUNDS.

HEY...

SO...

SO...

WHO WANTS TO BE SENT TO THE HOSPITAL FIRST?

GULP

...LORD HAO WAS FLIRTING WITH THE OTHER DAY.

YOU'RE THE GIRL...

JEALOUS?

...

...WHO THE HECK YOU THINK YOU ARE.

HUFF HUFF HUFF

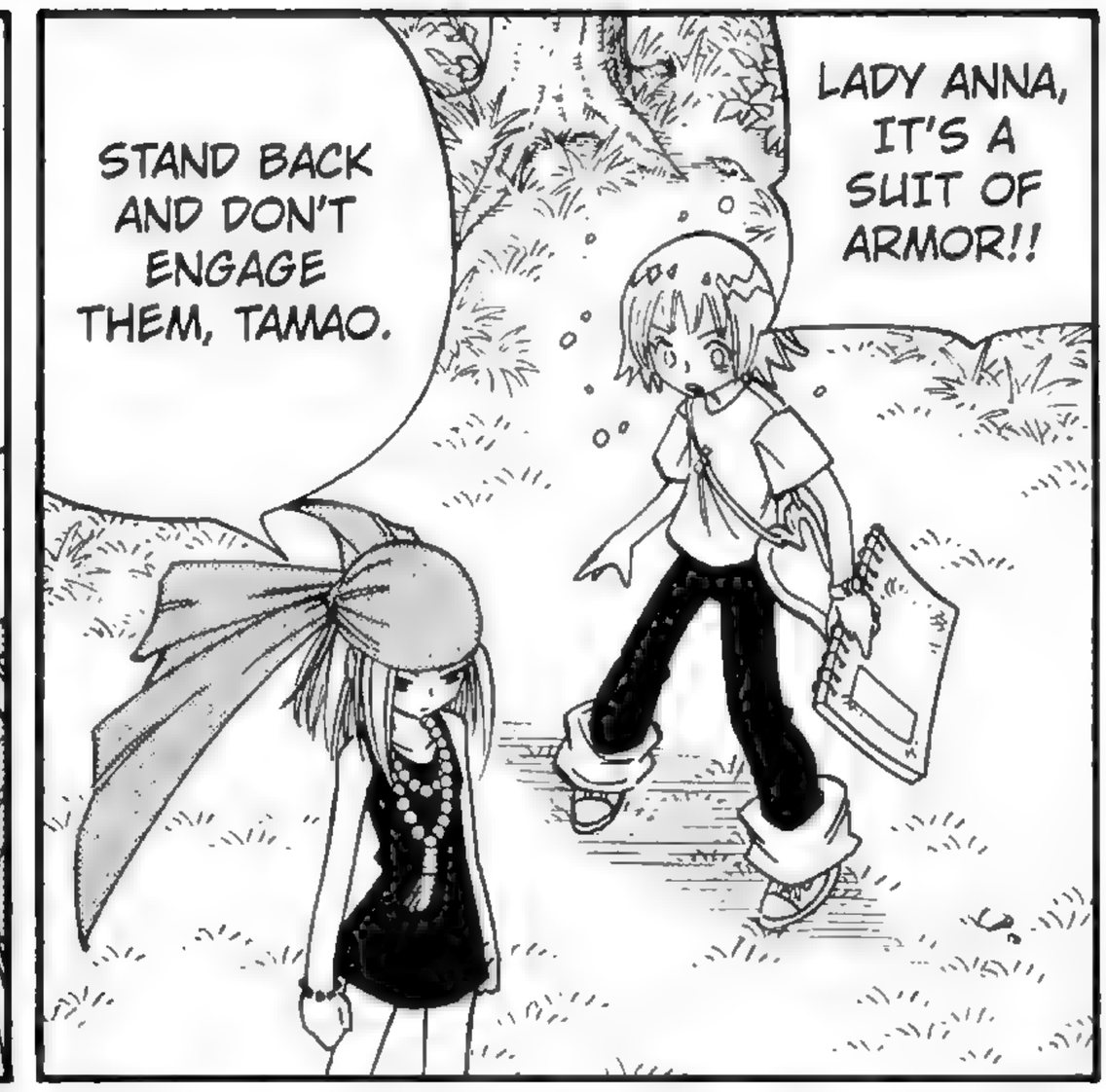
I WAS JUST WONDER-ING...

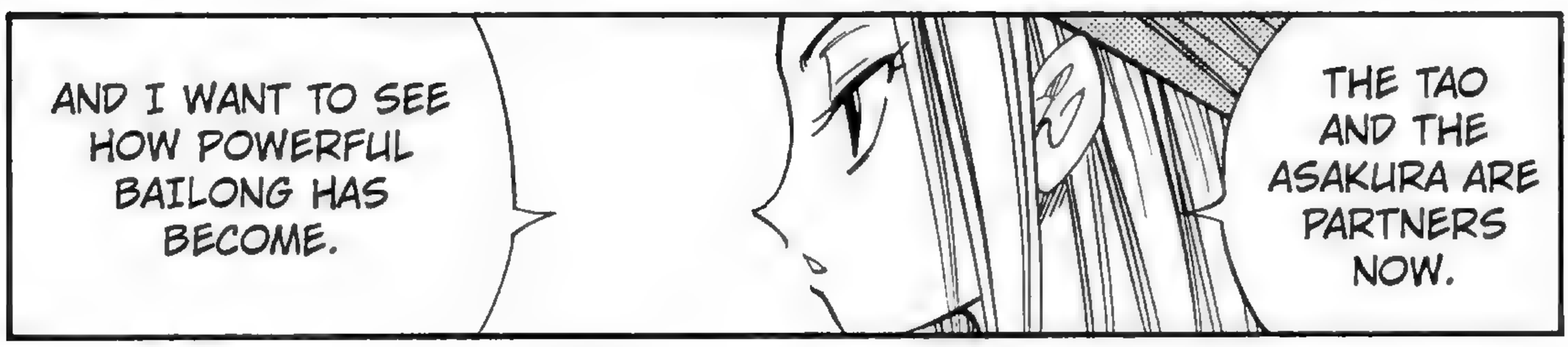
BA-BUMP BA-BUMP

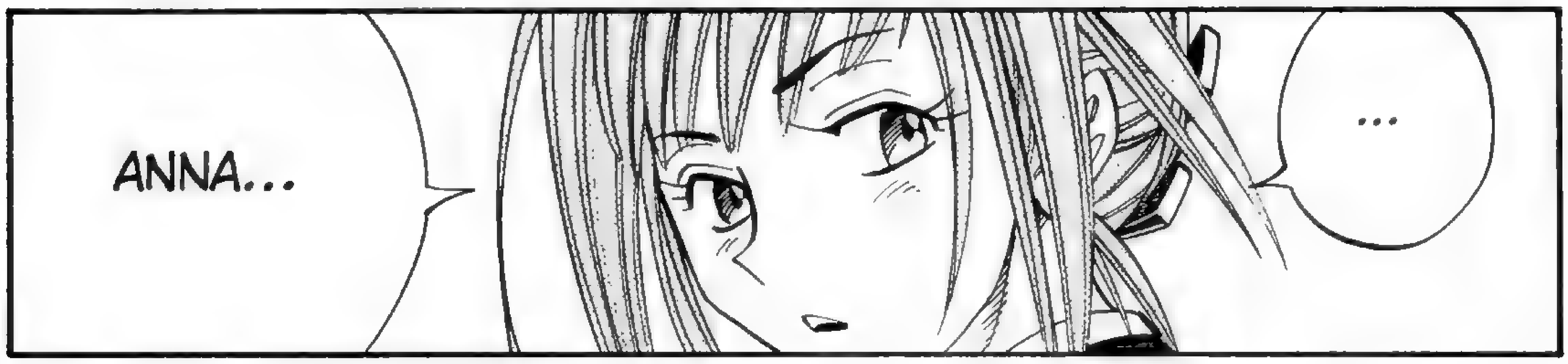
NO.

RIGHT, ASHCROFT ?
KLANK

I?!
I WON'T EITHER. THIS POINTY LADY HERE WILL HANDLE IT FOR US.


STAND BACK AND DON'T ENGAGE THEM, TAMAO.
LADY ANNA, IT'S A SUIT OF ARMOR!!


AND I WANT TO SEE HOW POWERFUL BAILONG HAS BECOME.
THE TAO AND THE ASAKURA ARE PARTNERS NOW.

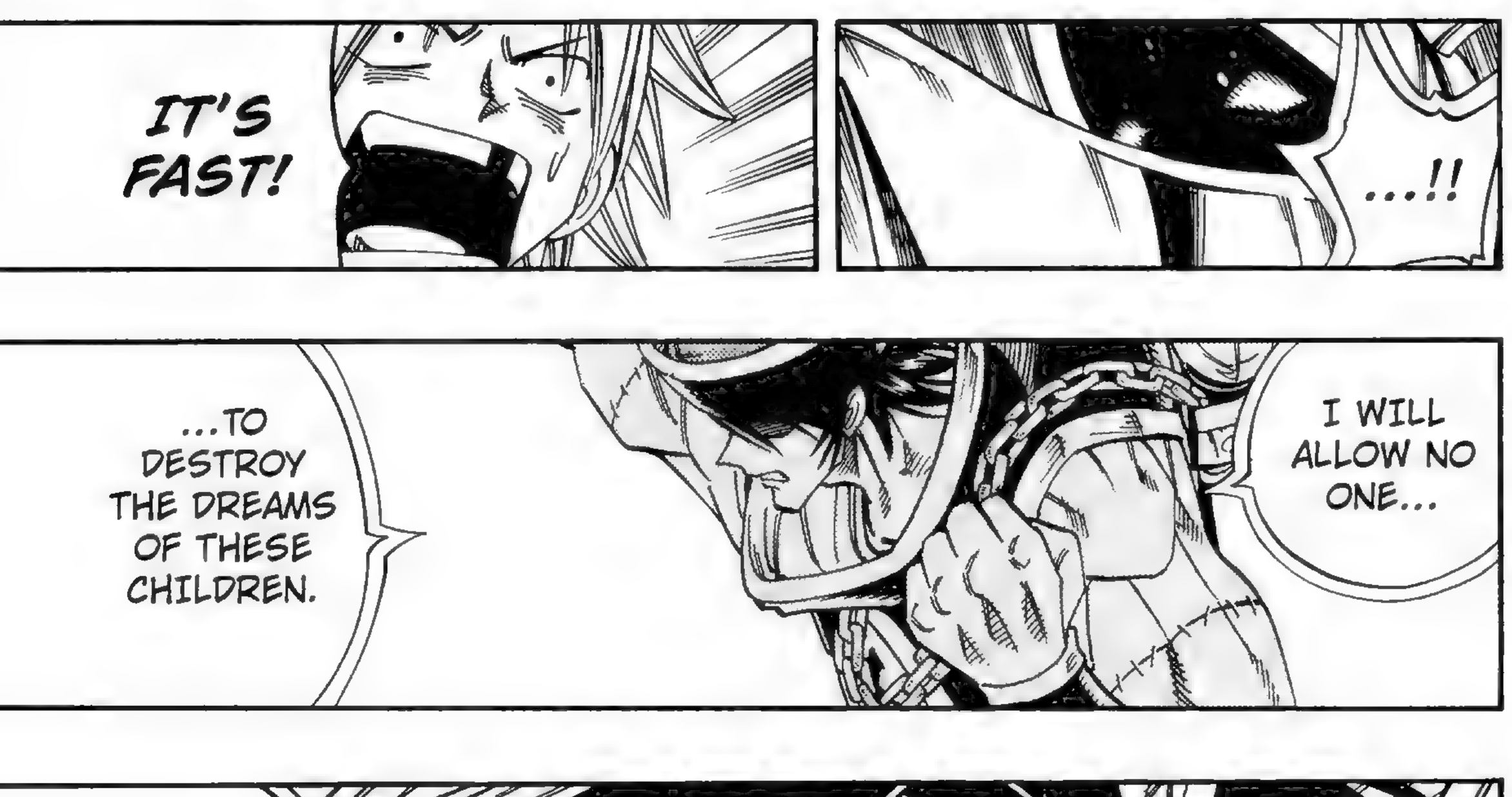

ANNA...
...

THIS IS WHY I HATE KIDS.

YOU'RE AN ARROGANT LITTLE WENCH.

KILL THEM, ASHCROFT.

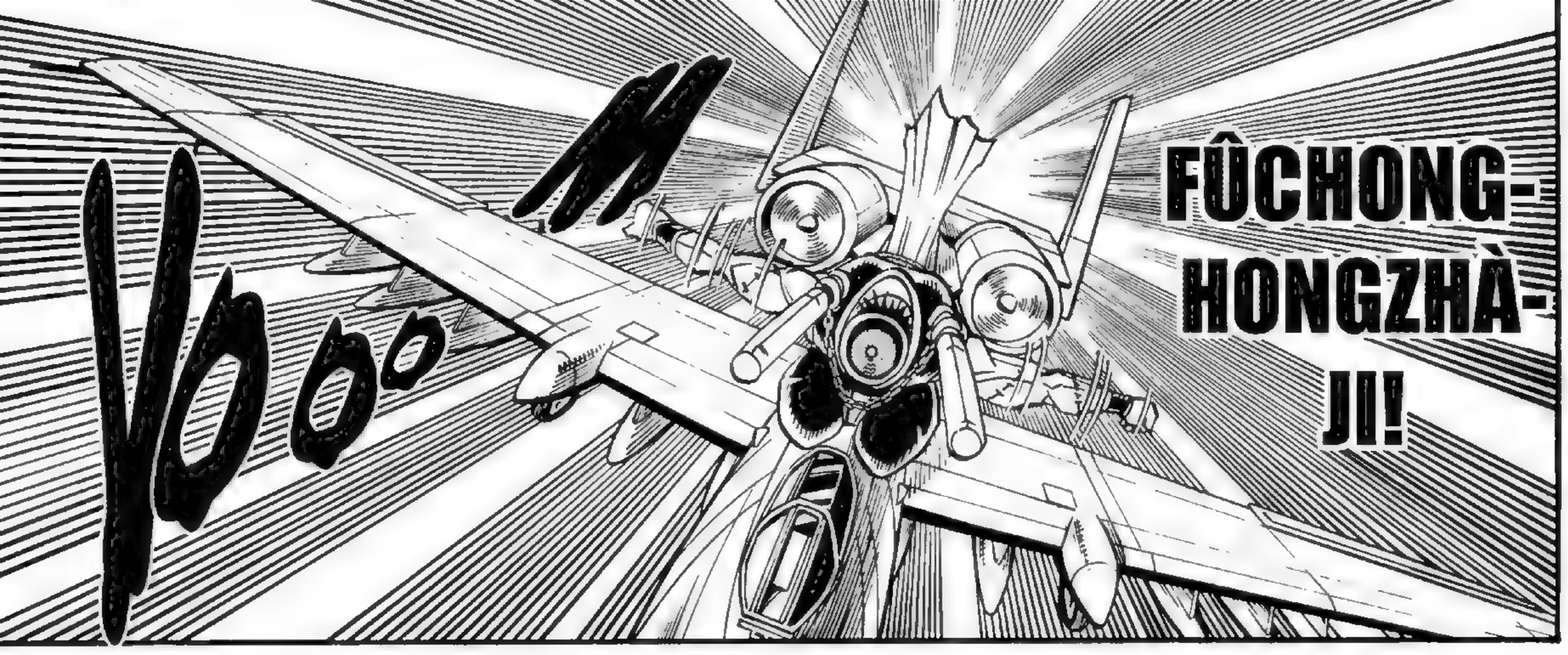
WATAH !!


IT'S FAST!
...!!

...TO DESTROY THE DREAMS OF THESE CHILDREN.
I WILL ALLOW NO ONE...

I'LL FINISH THIS QUICKLY.
WE ARE PRESSED FOR TIME.

HÛO JÌAN JÎAO !!
DÂO DÀN DO
N
P


Vooo
FÛCHONG-
HONGZHÀ-
JI!

HONG ZHÀ JÎAO!!

KR

CHA-KLAN

CHOP

FANTASTIC.

ZHEN BÀNG, BAILONG.

BAILONG ...

YOU MUST REMAIN ALERT.

BAILONG ...

BUT THERE'S NOTHING IN IT.

HE MANGLED IT.

WHOA...

...JUN.

YOU'RE RIGHT...

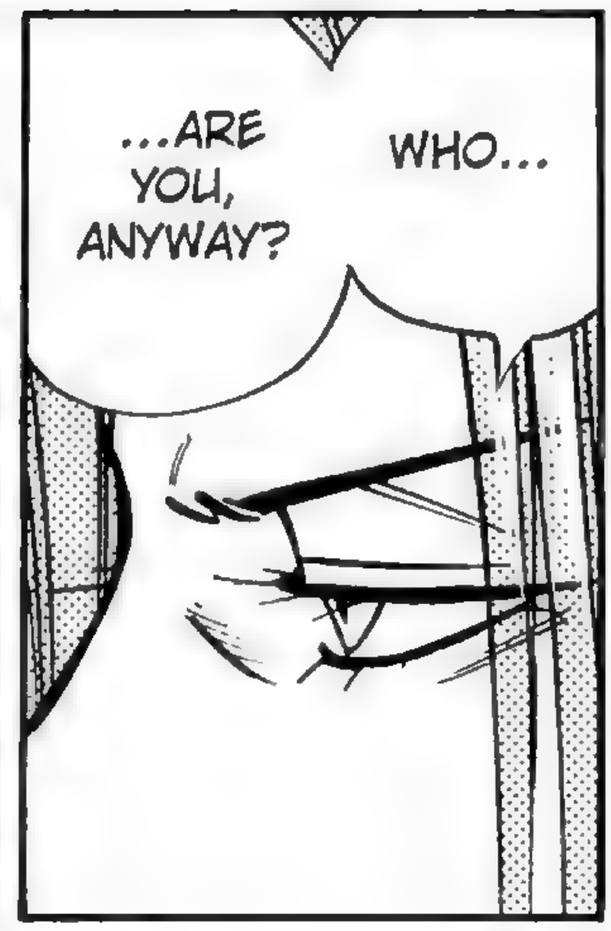
...STILL IN NEED OF TRAINING.

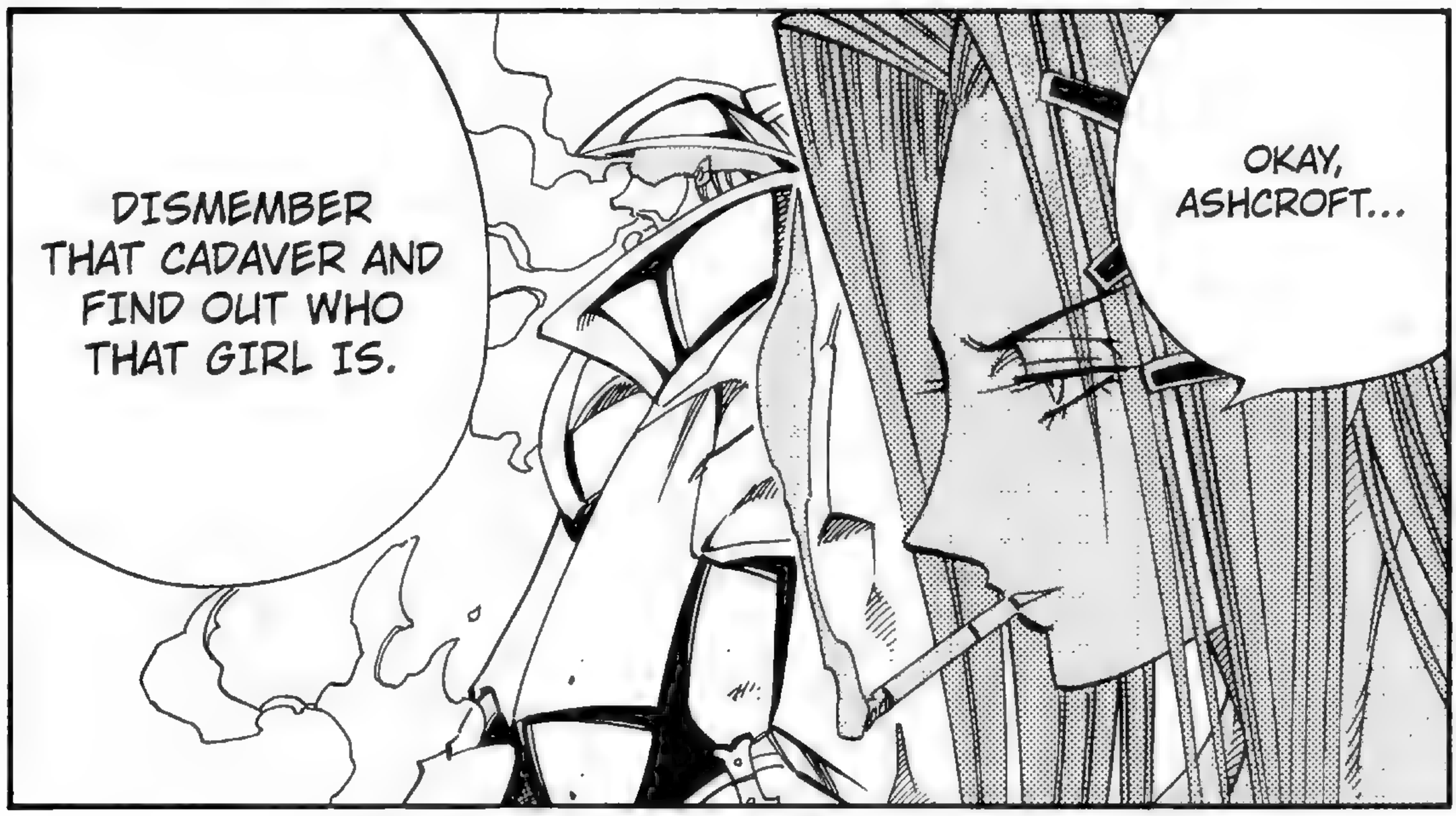
I AM...

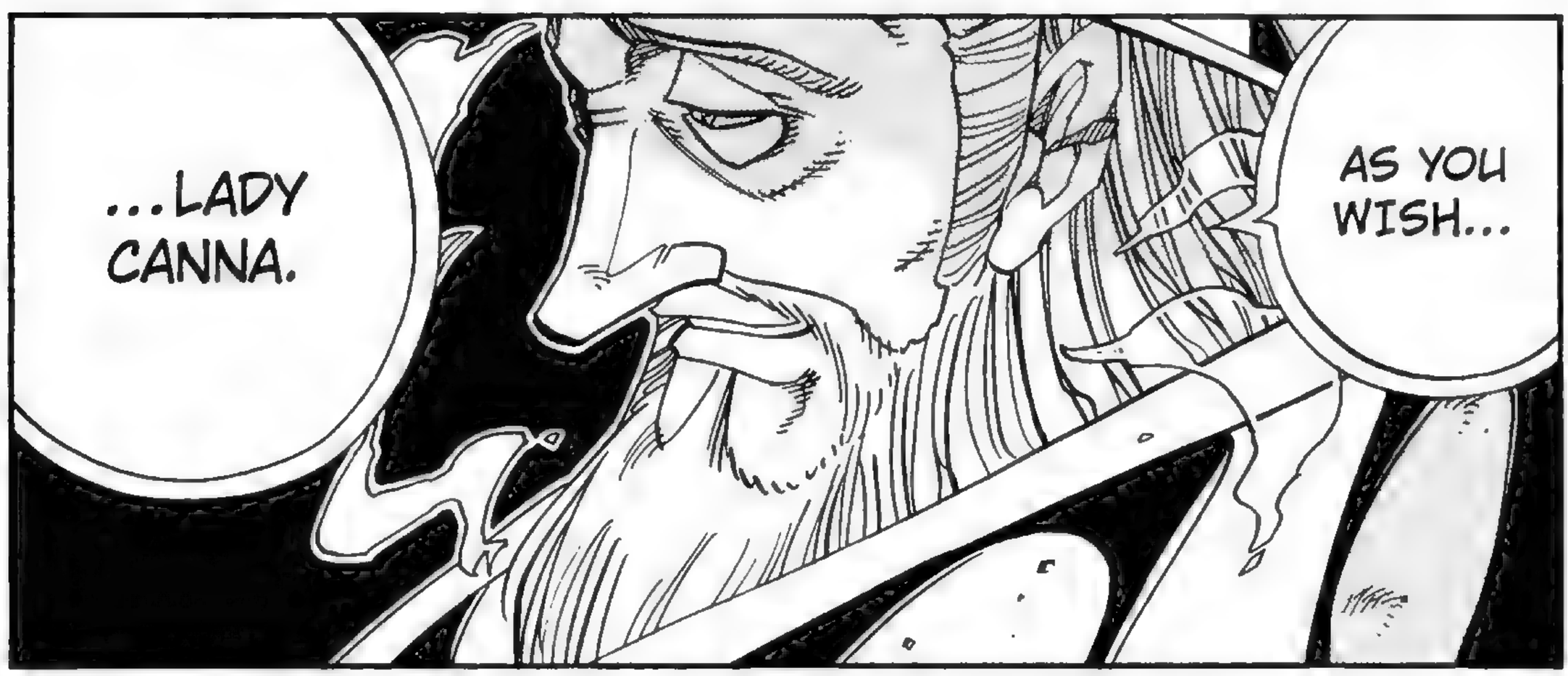
HOW COME IT CAN STILL MOVE?!

WHY DON'T YOU PRY IT OUT OF ME?
FWUFF
FWUFF

WHO KNOWS?


...ARE YOU, ANYWAY?
WHO...


DISMEMBER THAT CADAVER AND FIND OUT WHO THAT GIRL IS.
OKAY, ASHCROFT...


...LADY CANNA.
AS YOU WISH...

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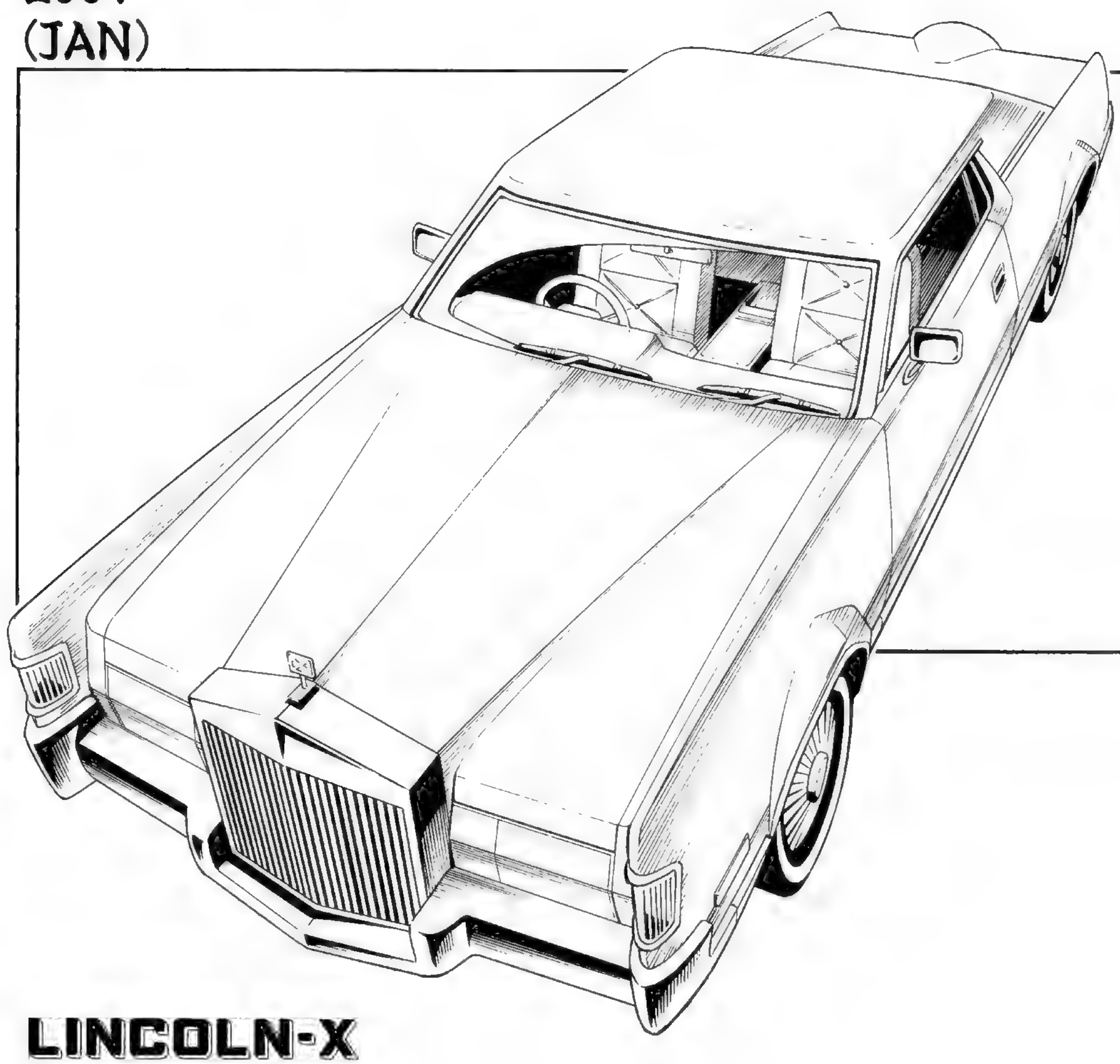
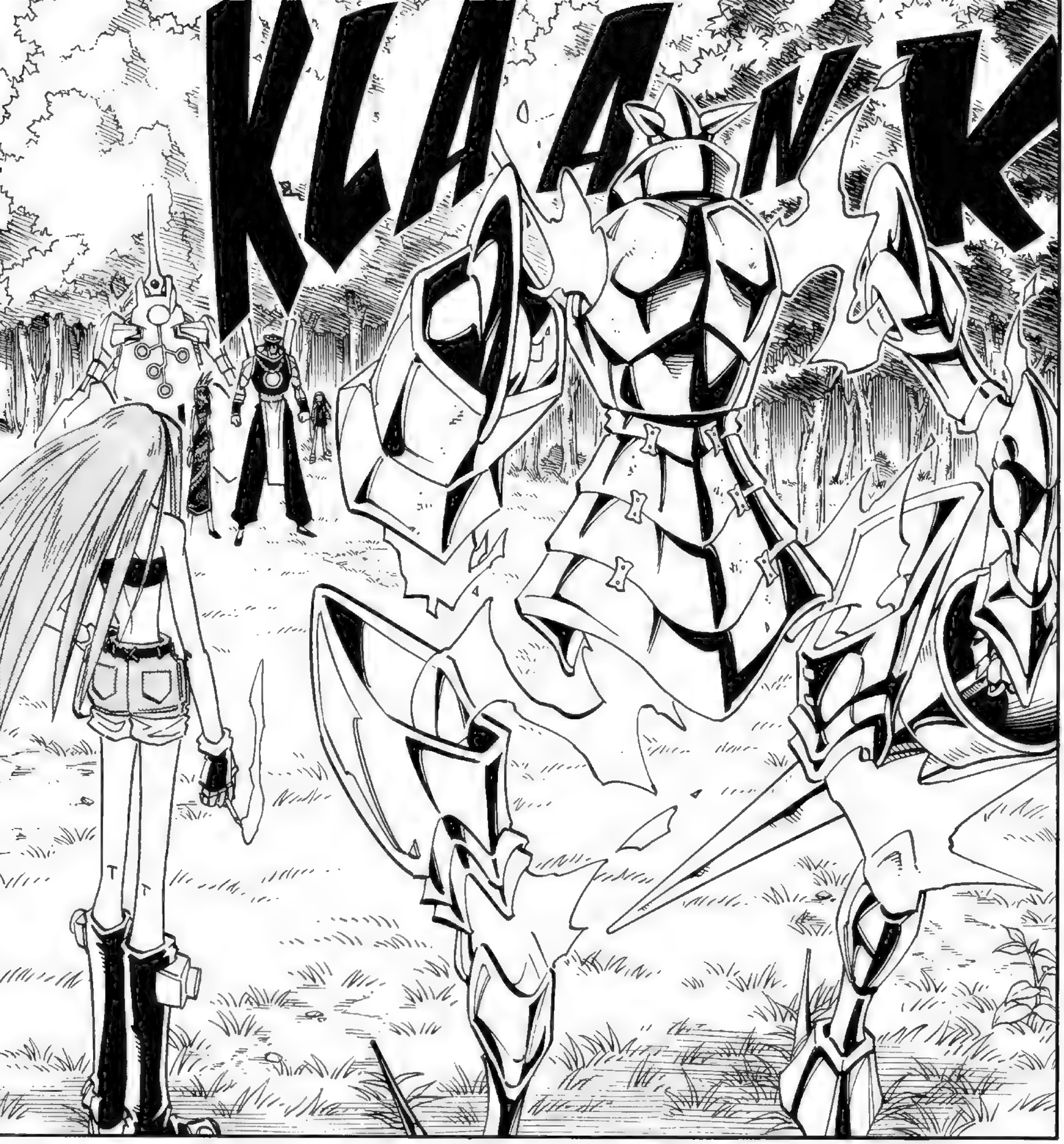




Reincarnation 155: My Terms

...A KNIGHT IN THE SERVICE OF LADY CANNA BISMARCK!

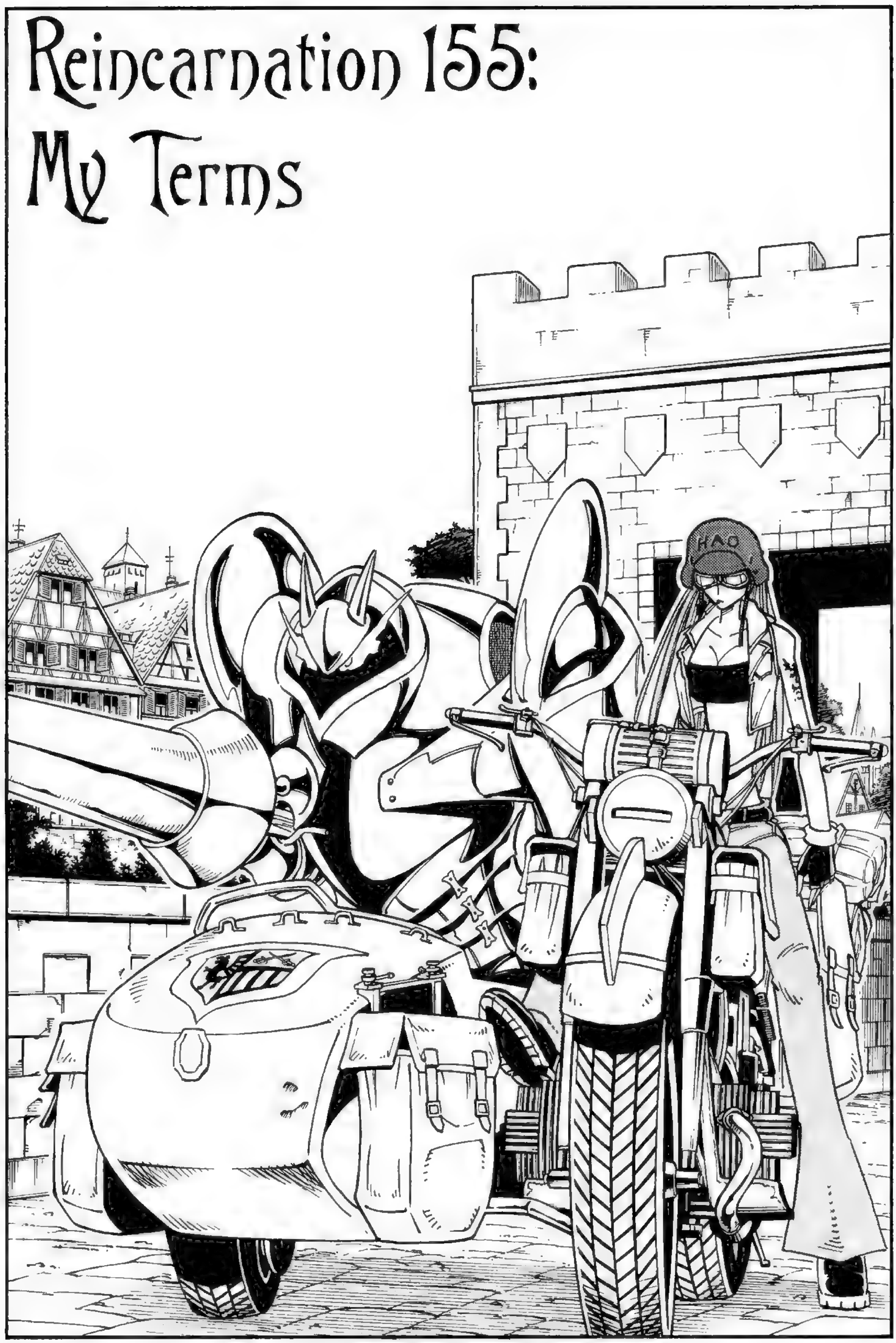
I AM OLD IRON ASH-CROFT ...

KLANK

I HAVE NO GRIEVANCE AGAINST YOU, BUT LET US FIGHT FAIRLY AND WITH HONOR.

A KNIGHT DOES THE BIDDING OF HIS MISTRESS AND RESCUES FAIR DAMSELS.

Reincarnation 155: My Terms



KLANK

KLANK
WHERE IS THE FAIRNESS AND HONOR IN THIS?

AH!
THERE IT IS!

I'M CARELESS WITH MY PARTS SOMETIMES. I'M STILL GETTING USED TO THIS BODY.

IS THIS YOUR IDEA OF CHIVALRY?

WHUP

WHAT ?!

THEN YOU SHOULD LOOK AFTER THIS BETTER.

CARELESS?! YOU DID THAT ON PURPOSE!!

VERY KIND OF YOU TO RETURN MY WAYWARD GAUNTLET, YOUNG MAN.

OH!

...FAIRLY AND HONORABLY.

A KUNG FU MASTER FINDS A WAY TO WIN IN ANY SITUATION...

I NEVER FIGHT DIRTY.

DOOM

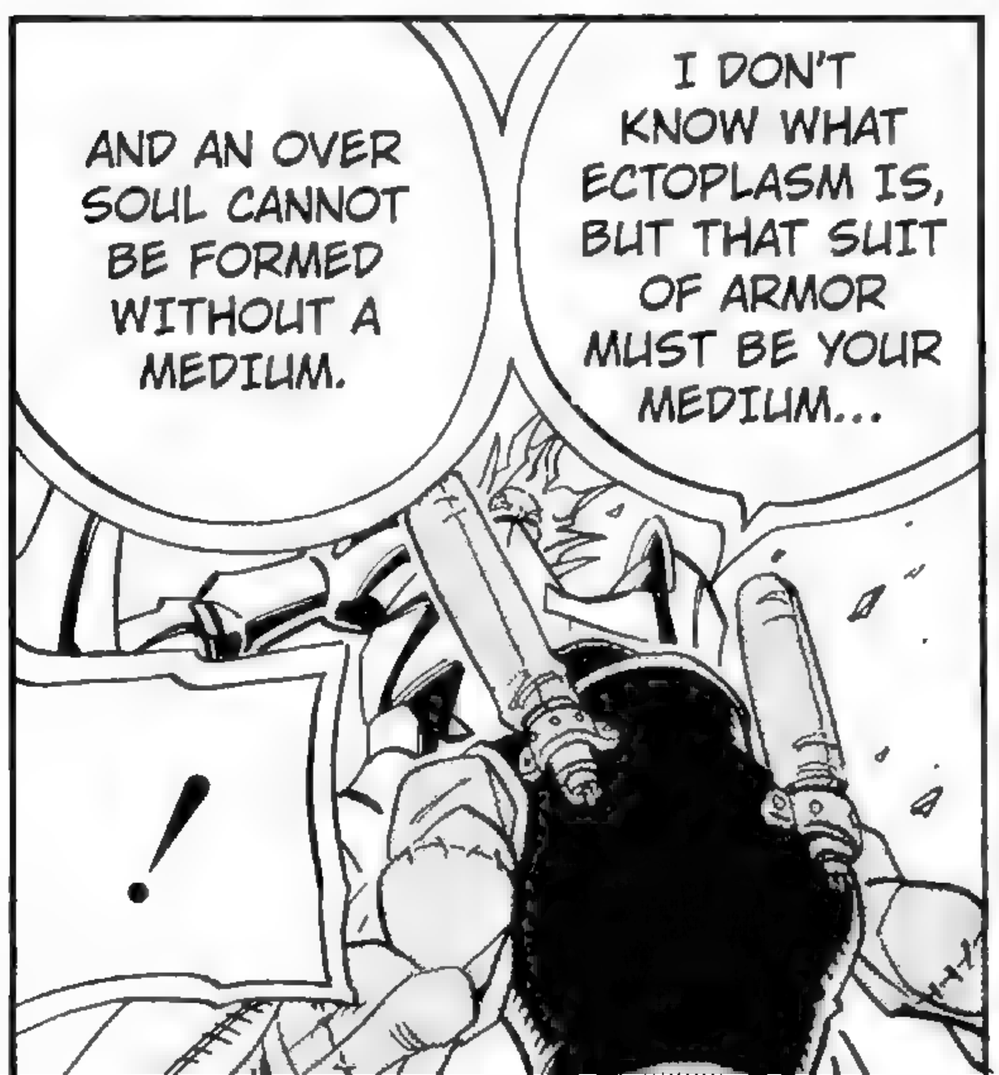
I AM LI BAILONG, KUNG FU MASTER.

POP

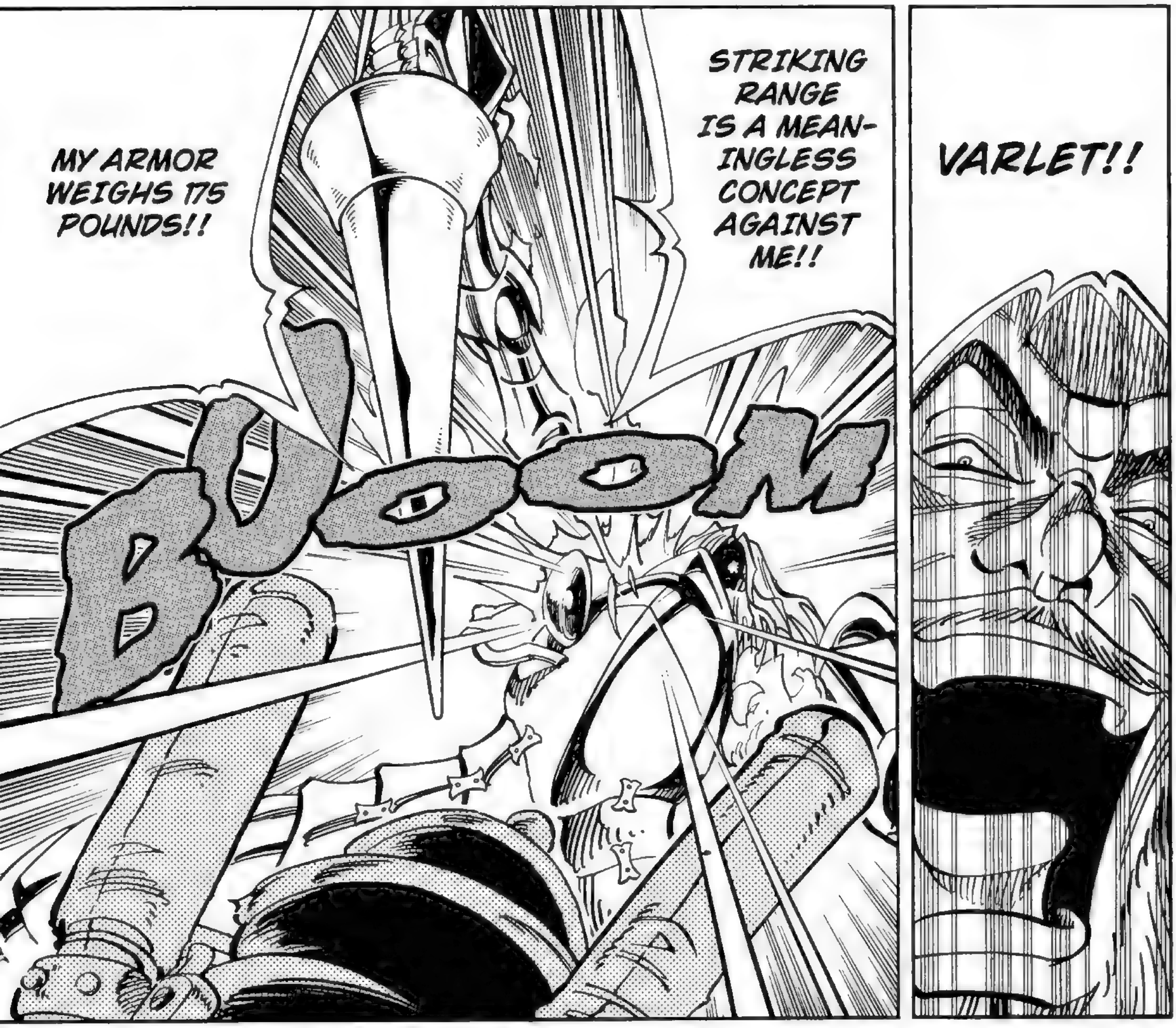
POP

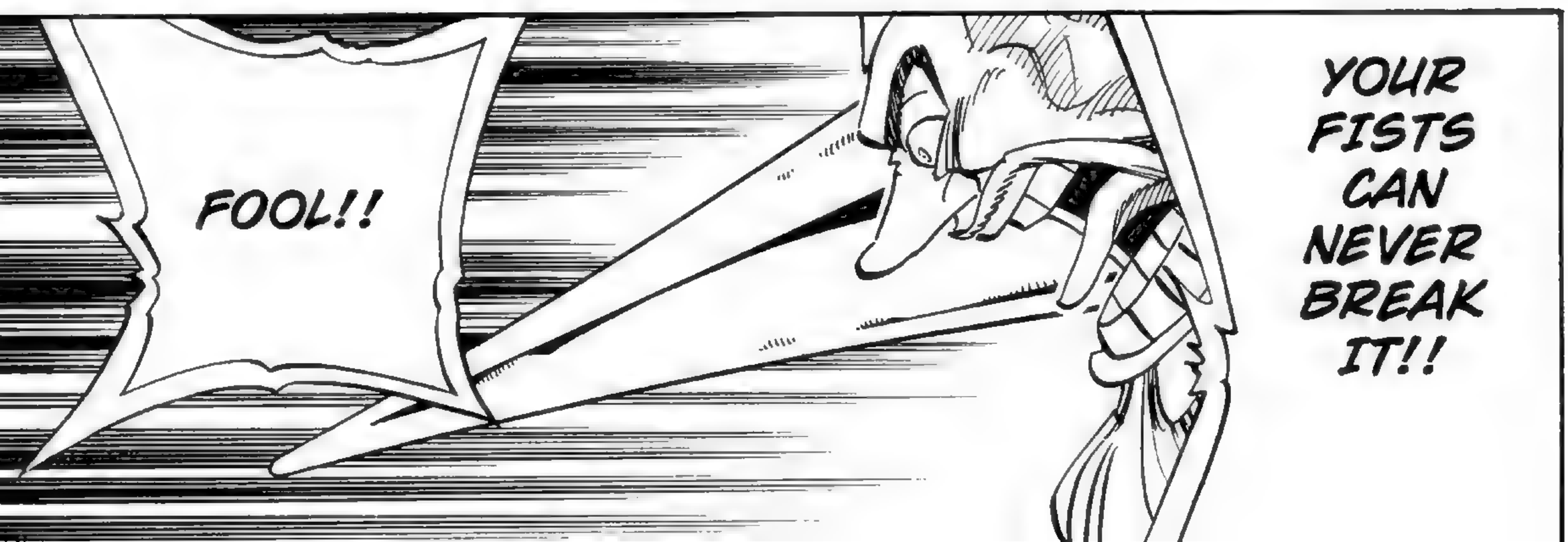
UGH!

AND I WILL FIGURE OUT HOW TO DEFEAT YOU.

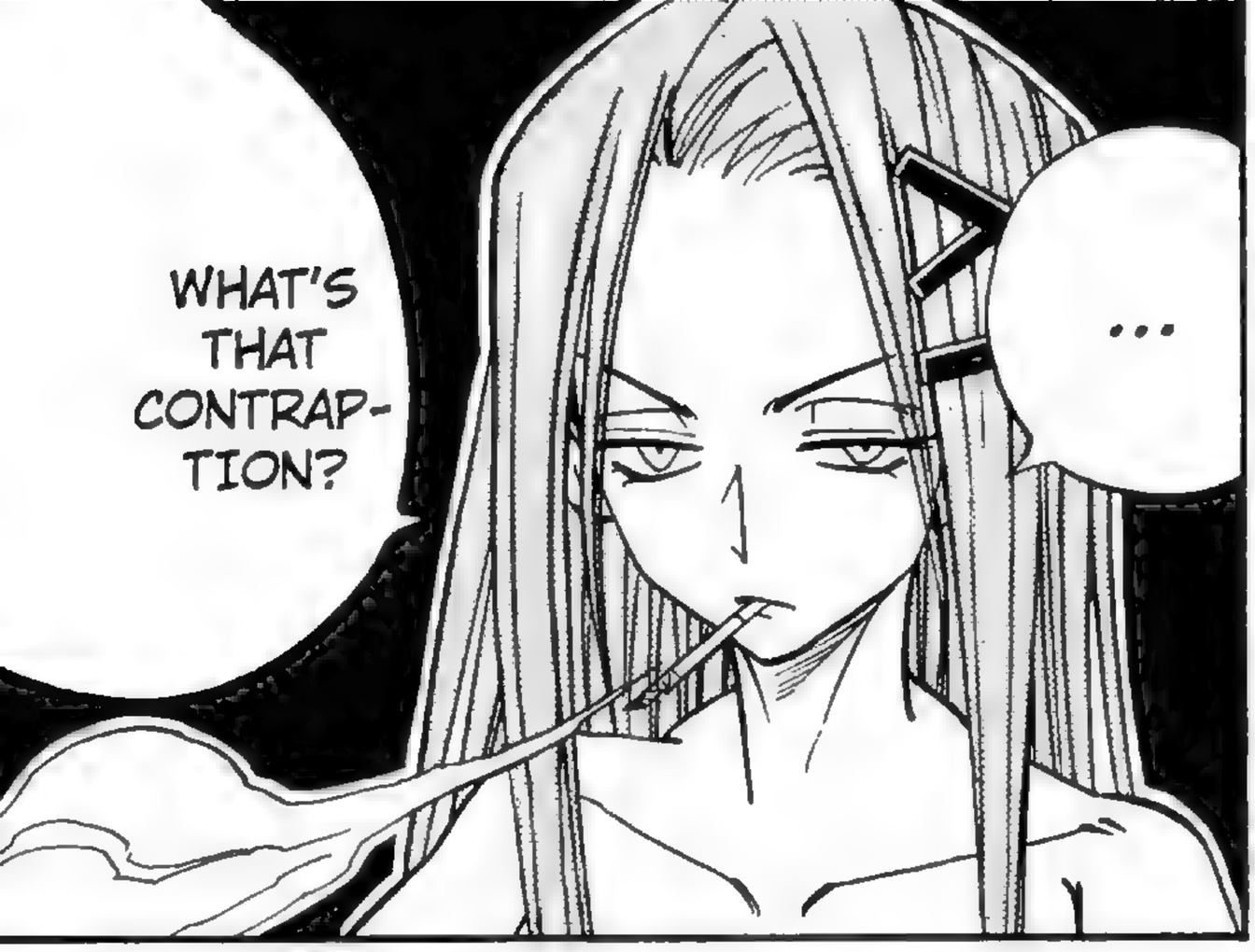


I WILL DESTROY IT!!
THEREFORE ...


MY ARMOR WEIGHS 175 POUNDS!!
STRIKING RANGE IS A MEAN-INGLESS CONCEPT AGAINST ME!!
VARLET!!


FOOL!!
YOUR FISTS CAN NEVER BREAK IT!!

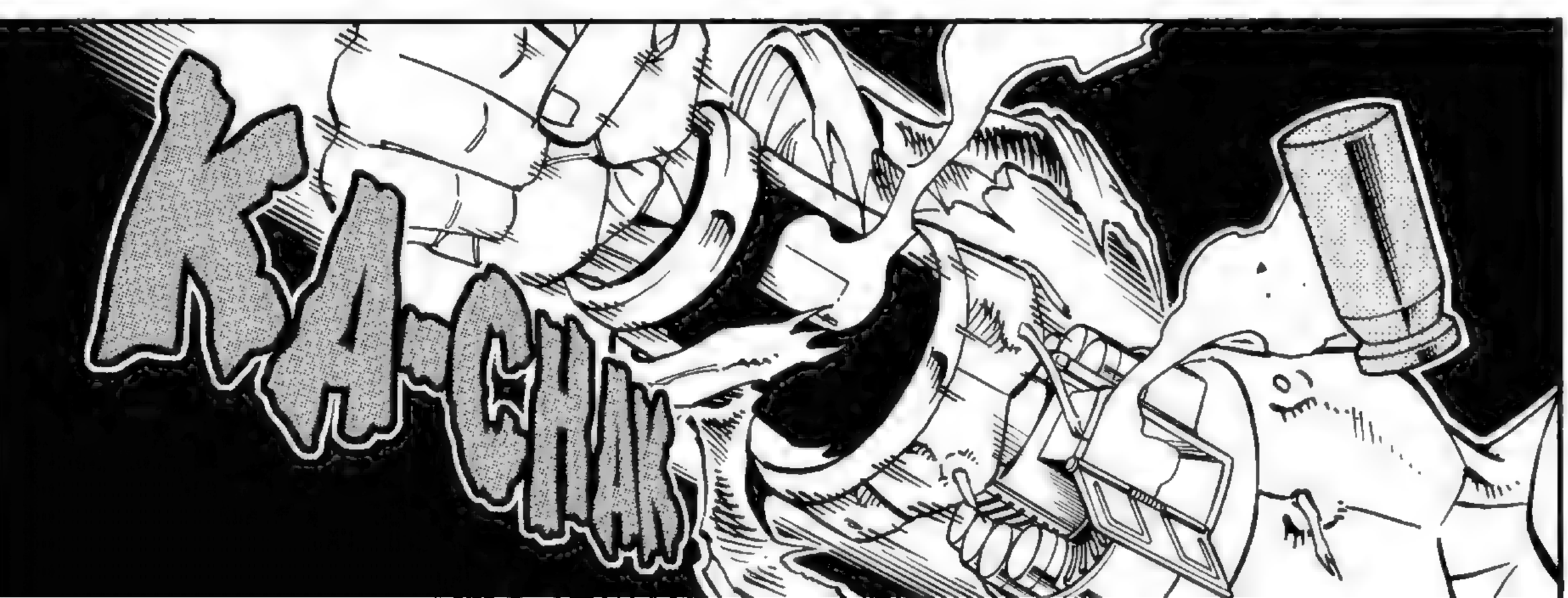
THWAAB


WHAT'S THAT CONTRAPTION?
...

KISH

BAILONG WAS MISSING SOME PIECES AFTER FATHER TORE HIM APART.
SORRY.
I HAD NO CHOICE.

...I MADE A FEW UPGRADES.
SO WHEN I FIXED HIM...
SWIP


KA-CHAK

BAILONG 2.0.

FSSS

THE TAO FAMILY'S MODIFIED JIANG-SI ...

THE WEAPON IS ACTIVATED BY MY *JUFU* TALISMANS.

120MM FIST

120mm

ESSENTIALLY, IT'S A PUNCH-ING MACHINE COMBINED WITH A MACHINE GUN.

CARTRIDGE

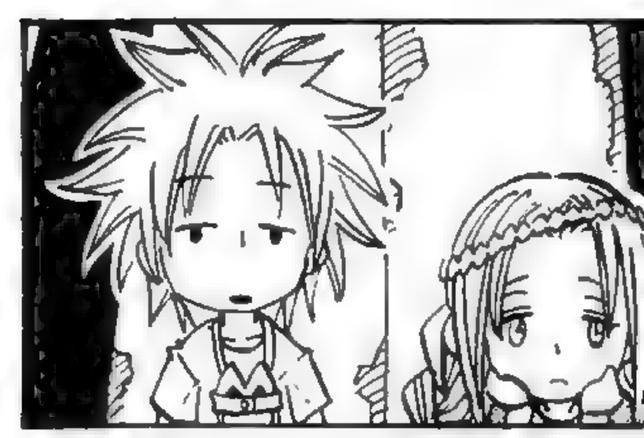
MUZZLE BRAKE®

8-ROUND MAGAZINE

BONE CYLINDER

TALISMAN

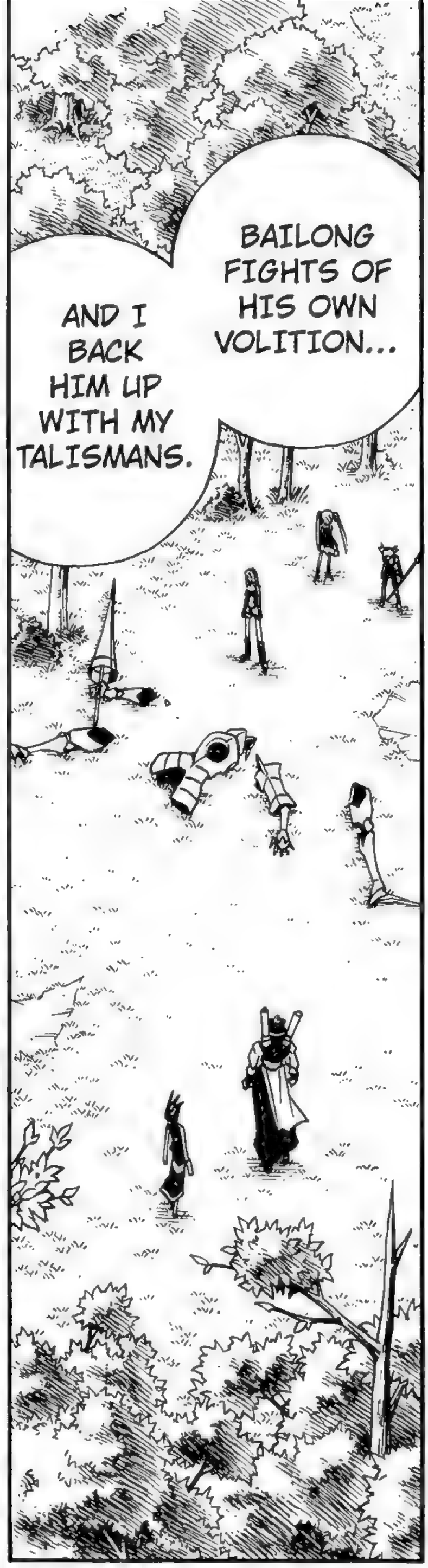
LAUNCHED WITH MAGNUM FORCE AND SPUN, BAILONG'S 120MM FIST CAN PENETRATE ANYTHING.



HE HAS A ROCKET PUNCH!!

GOT A PROBLEM WITH IT?

YÔU YÌ RÔNG MA?



BUT IT LOOKS GREAT, BAILONG.

OH?

CHAKKA

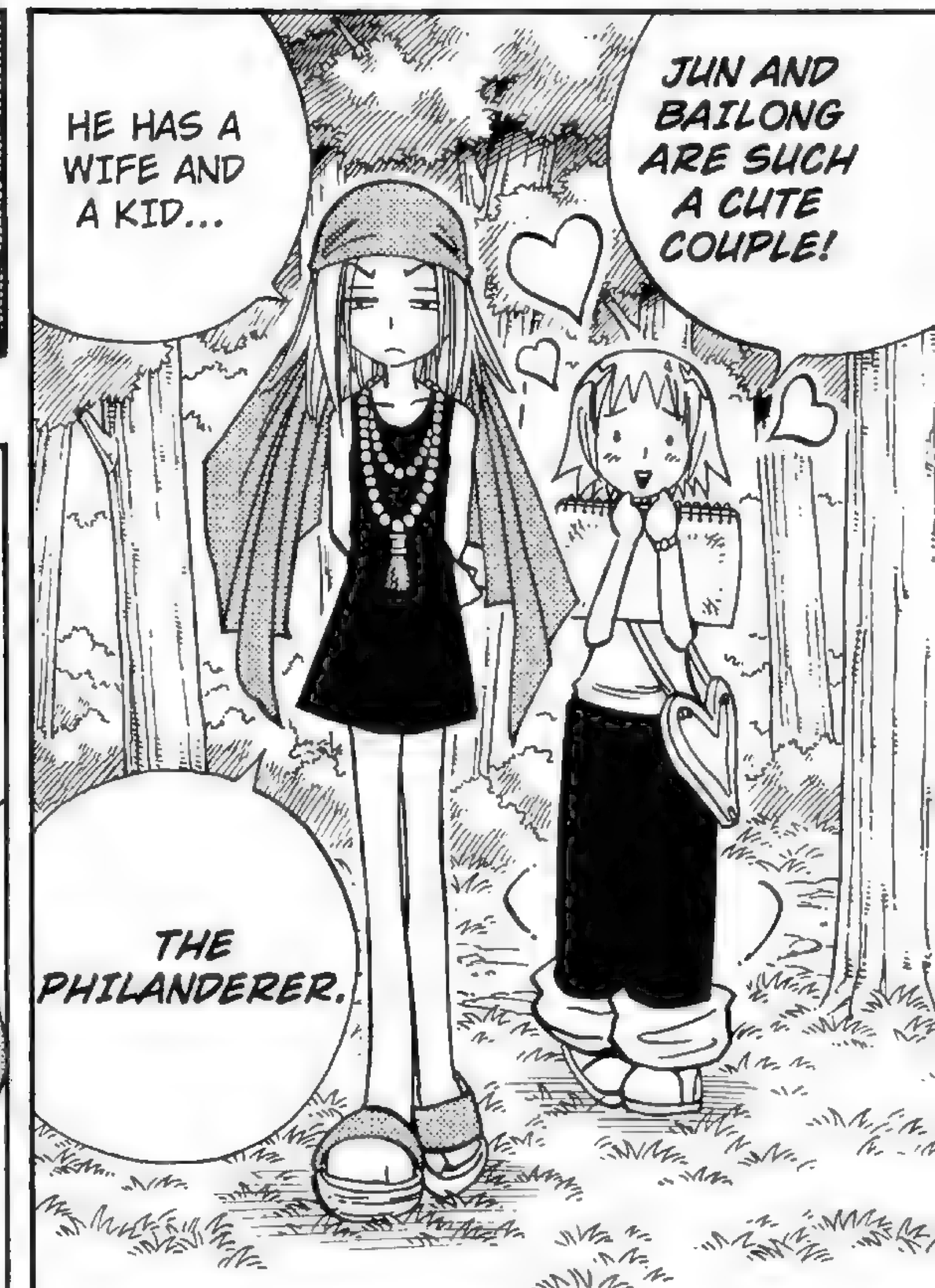
CHAKKA

I DO.

THIS IS RATHER UN-ORTHODOX FOR A MAR-TIAL ARTIST.

JUN...

YOU COULD NEVER DO SOMETHING LIKE THAT TO A LIVING MAN.



ITS MEDIUM ISN'T THE ARMOR.

THE ECTOPLASM ...

HEH

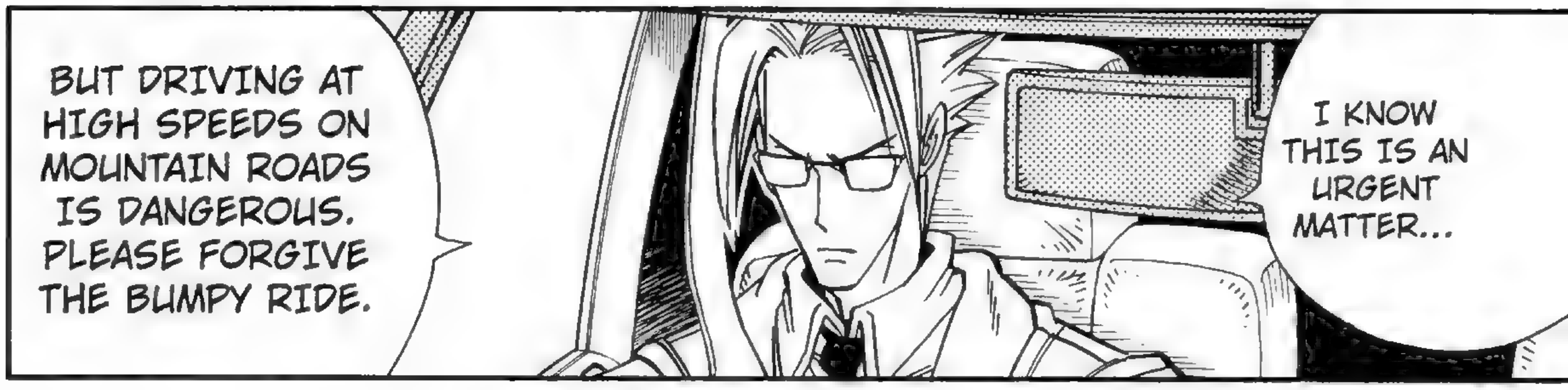
HMPH...

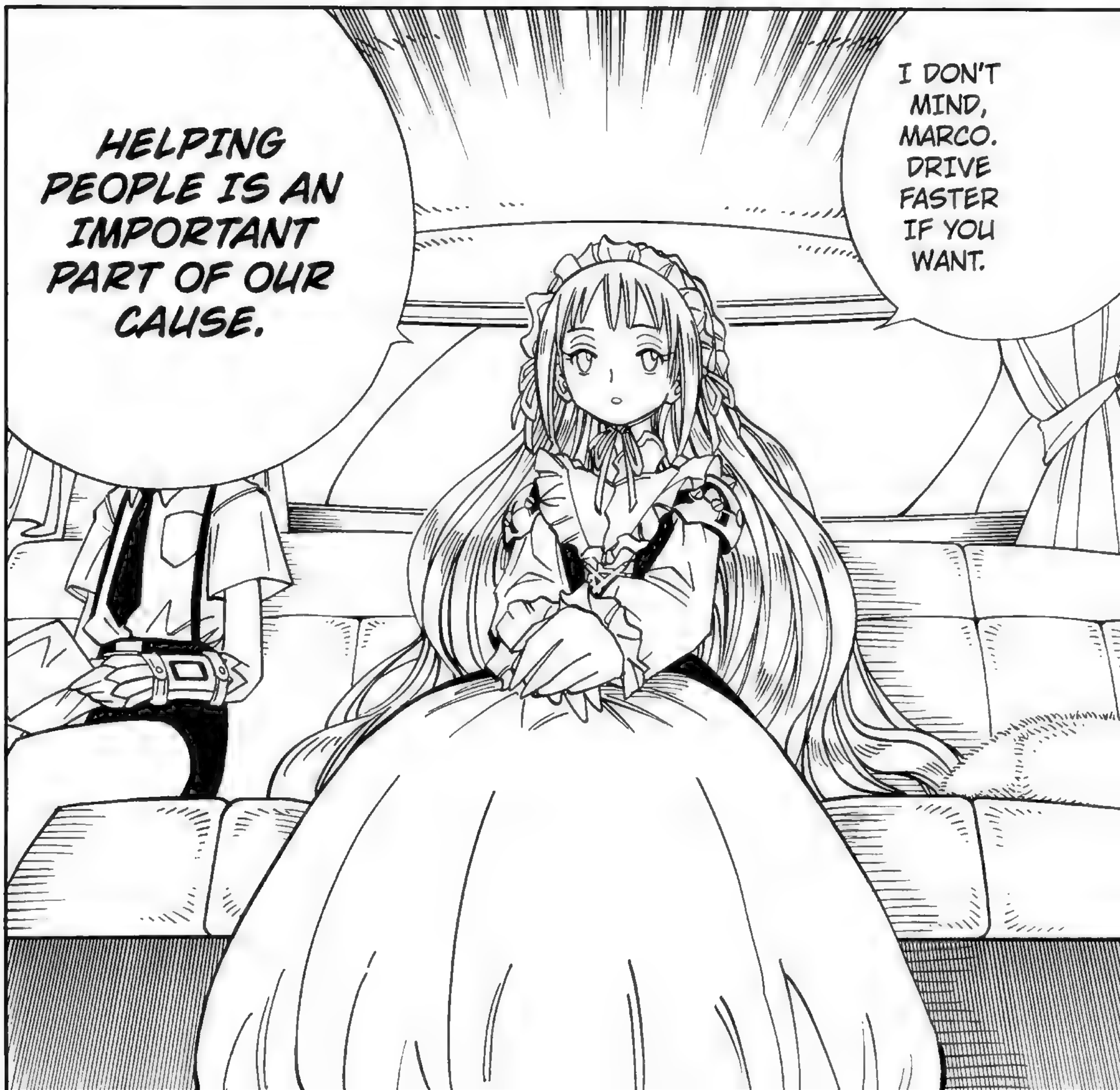
HEH

...IS YET TO COME.

HER REAL ASSAULT...

LADY JEANNE...
VROOOM


BUT DRIVING AT HIGH SPEEDS ON MOUNTAIN ROADS IS DANGEROUS. PLEASE FORGIVE THE BUMPY RIDE.
I KNOW THIS IS AN URGENT MATTER...


HELPING PEOPLE IS AN IMPORTANT PART OF OUR CAUSE.
I DON'T MIND, MARCO. DRIVE FASTER IF YOU WANT.

...COULD BROADCAST YOUR WORDS TO THE WHOLE WORLD VIA SATELLITE!

I WISH THAT I...

THANK YOU, LADY JEANNE.

YES?

GLARE

UH...

...

UM, UH, I'M SORRY, I HAVE TO ASK A QUESTION !!

AH! I'M SORRY !!

I DIDN'T THINK YOU'D RESPOND SO QUICKLY.

YEAH, BUT I'M SURPRISED.

THE ONLY PERSON WHO CAN SAVE THIS SITUATION IS OUR HOLY GIRL, LADY JEANNE, RIGHT?

HA HA... THEN ASK IT.

HEE HEE...

YEAH. I MEAN, NO! THAT'S NOT WHAT--

YOU THOUGHT WE WERE HEARTLESS, EH?

YOU'RE VERY FUNNY.

MANTA...

LADY JEANNE?

...

I KNOW THIS IS A BAD TIME, BUT PERHAPS IT'S GOOD FOR ME TO GET OUT ONCE IN A WHILE.

NOT SINCE I ENTERED THE IRON MAIDEN.

I HAVEN'T FELT THIS MERRY IN AGES...

THIS IS SO MUCH FUN.

WHAT ARE YOUR TERMS?

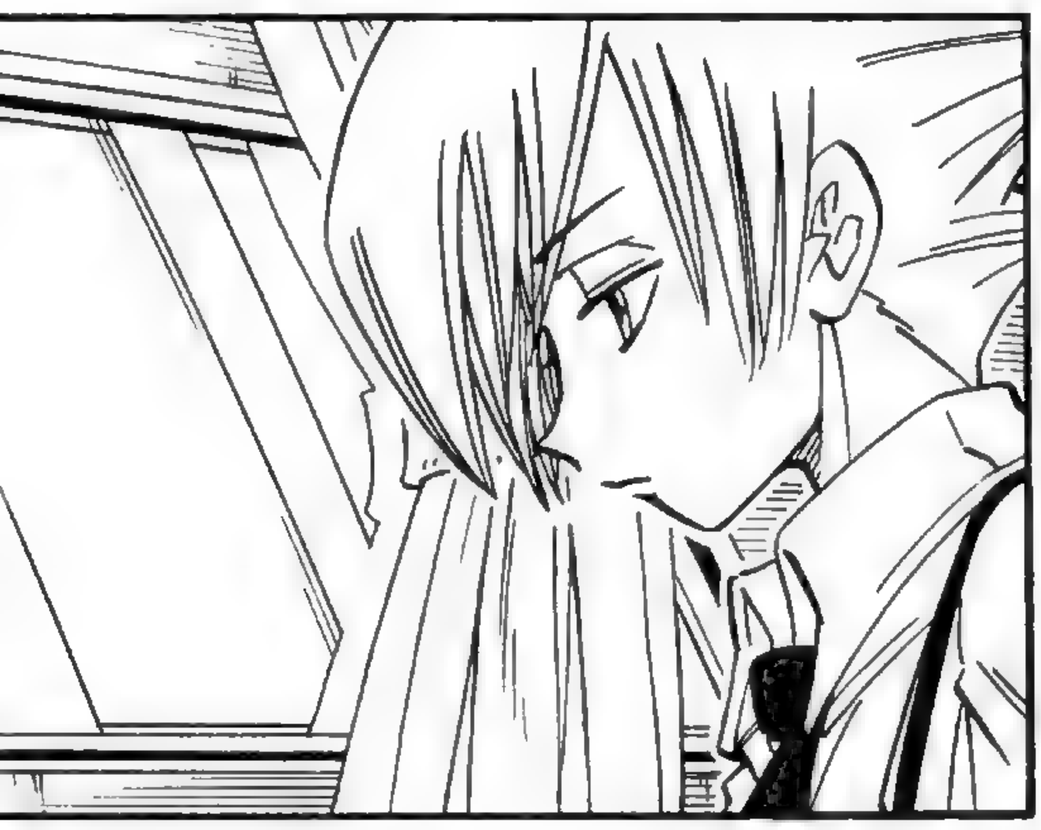
HERE'S MY QUESTION ...

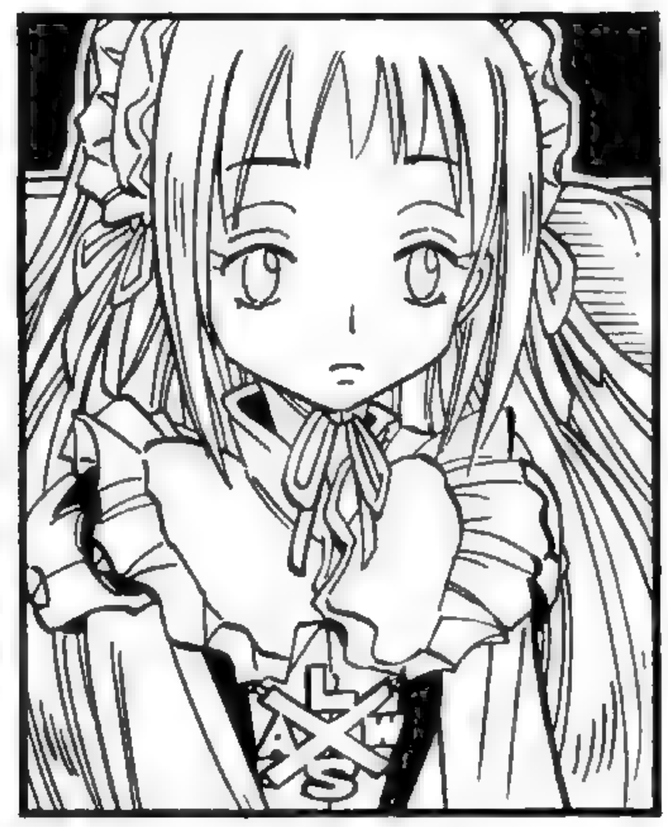
I KNOW, MARCO.

BUT...

OTHERWISE, YOU COULD NEVER VENTURE OUT IN YOUR BEST SUNDAY DRESS.

THIS IS AN EMERGENCY OPERATION. YOU'RE TRAVELING INCOGNITO.





AND YOH AND REN ARE YOUR OPPONENTS IN THE SHAMAN FIGHT.

...FOR LADY JEANNE TO COME OUT LIKE THIS.

I KNOW IT'S A BIG DEAL...

BUT HAO IS OUR TRUE ENEMY.

TRUE.

...A NEAR-DEATH EXPERIENCE BOOSTS A SHAMAN'S MANA ENORMOUSLY.

AS YOU MAY ALREADY KNOW...

SIMILARLY, I INCREASE MY MANA DAILY BY SUBJECTING MYSELF TO SEVERE TORTURE AND REMAINING IN A NEAR-DEATH STATE.

HAO HAS ACCUMULATED AN ASTOUNDING 1.25 MILLION MANA POINTS BY REPEATEDLY DYING AND REINCARNATING.

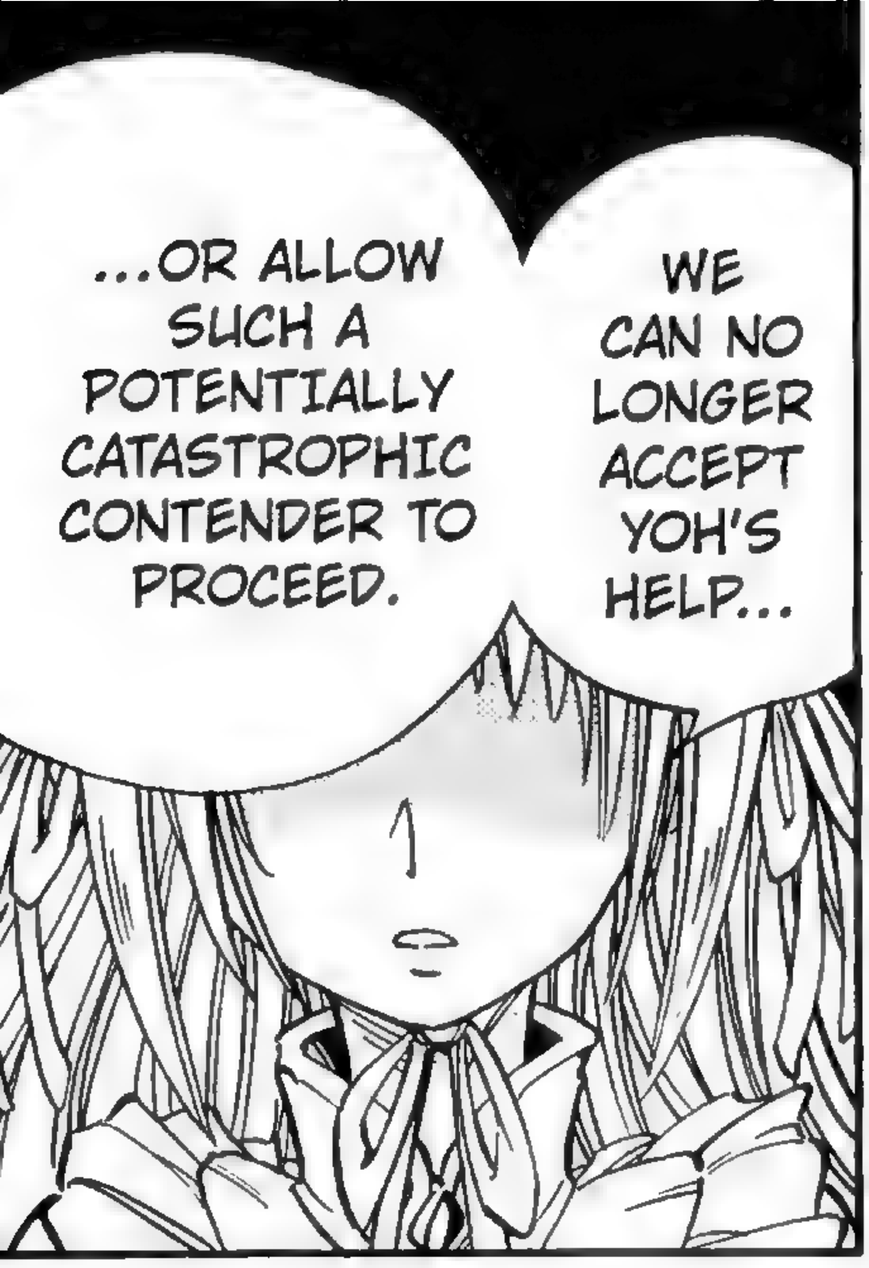
HE WILL GAIN AT LEAST 50,000 MANA POINTS.

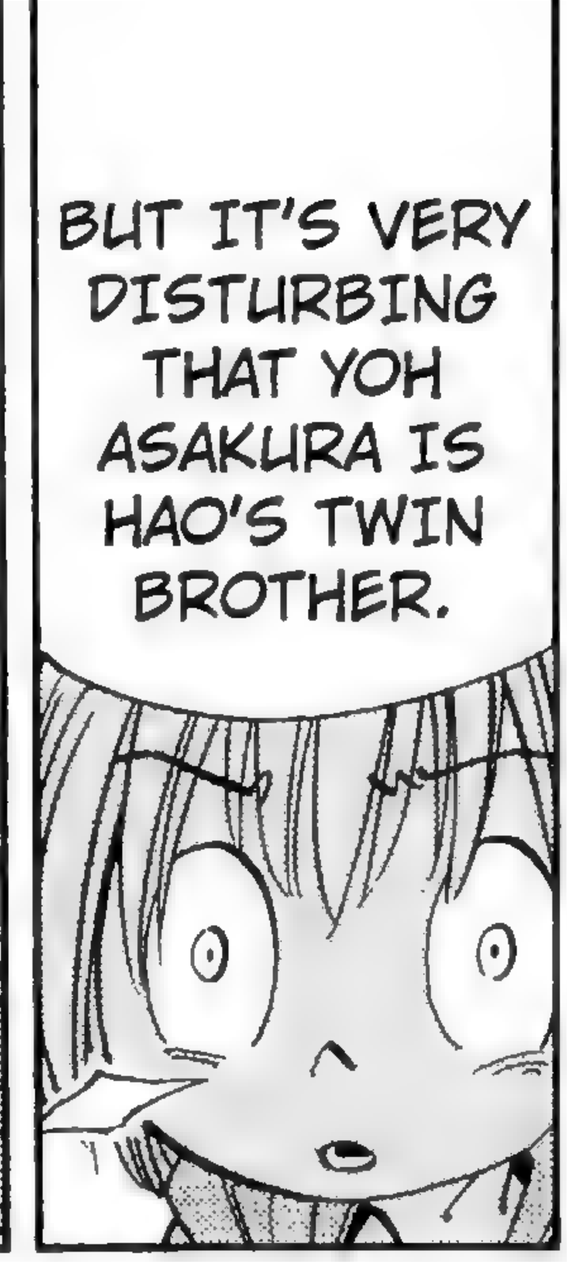
IF WHAT YOU SAY IS TRUE AND THE WORST HAS BEFALLEN TAO REN...

50,000?!

WHAT?!

...

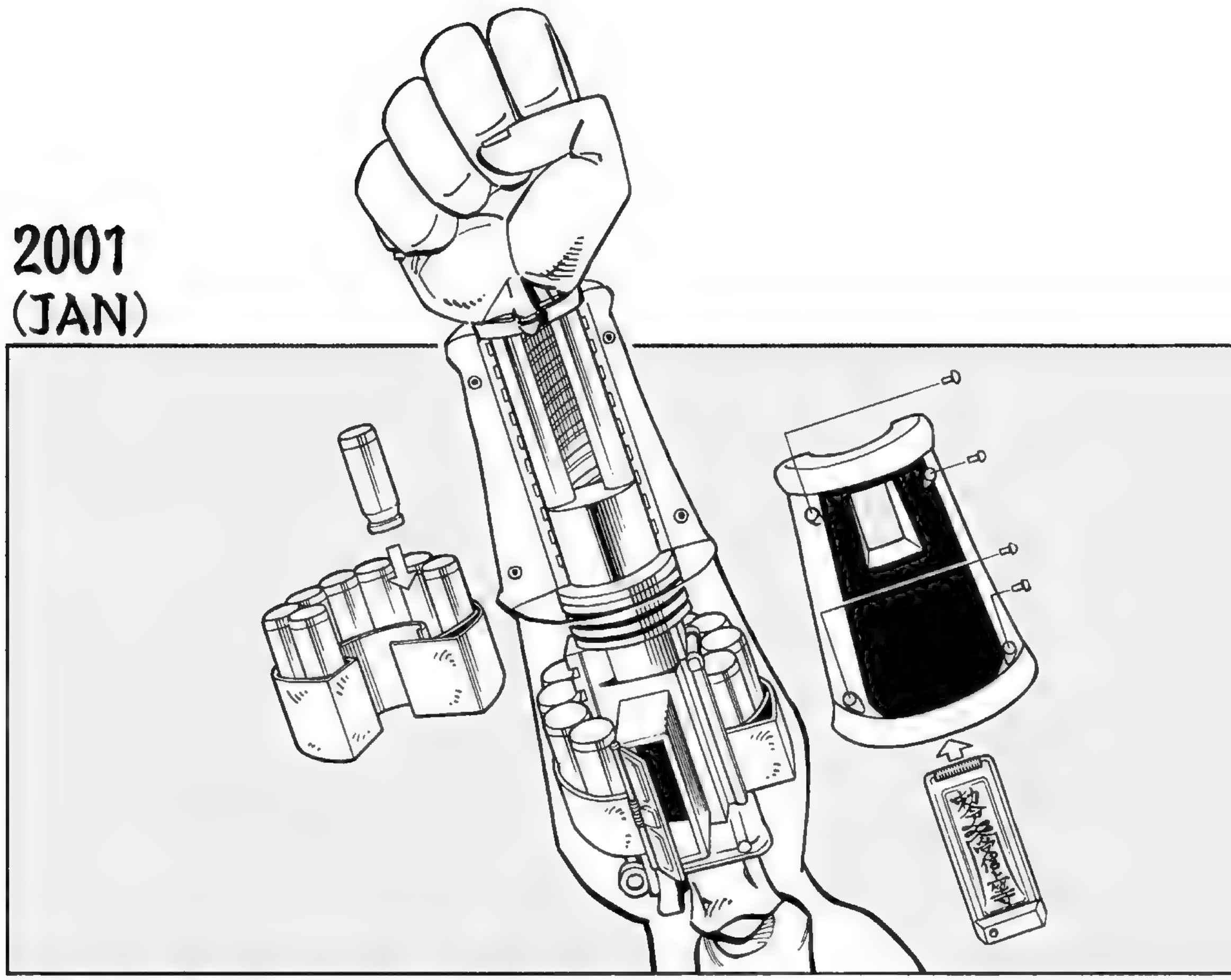




MY TERMS ARE SIMPLE.

YOH MUST WITH-DRAW FROM THE SHAMAN FIGHT.

2001
(JAN)



白龍蛮可亜
パイロンバンカー

THE BAILONG BUNKER

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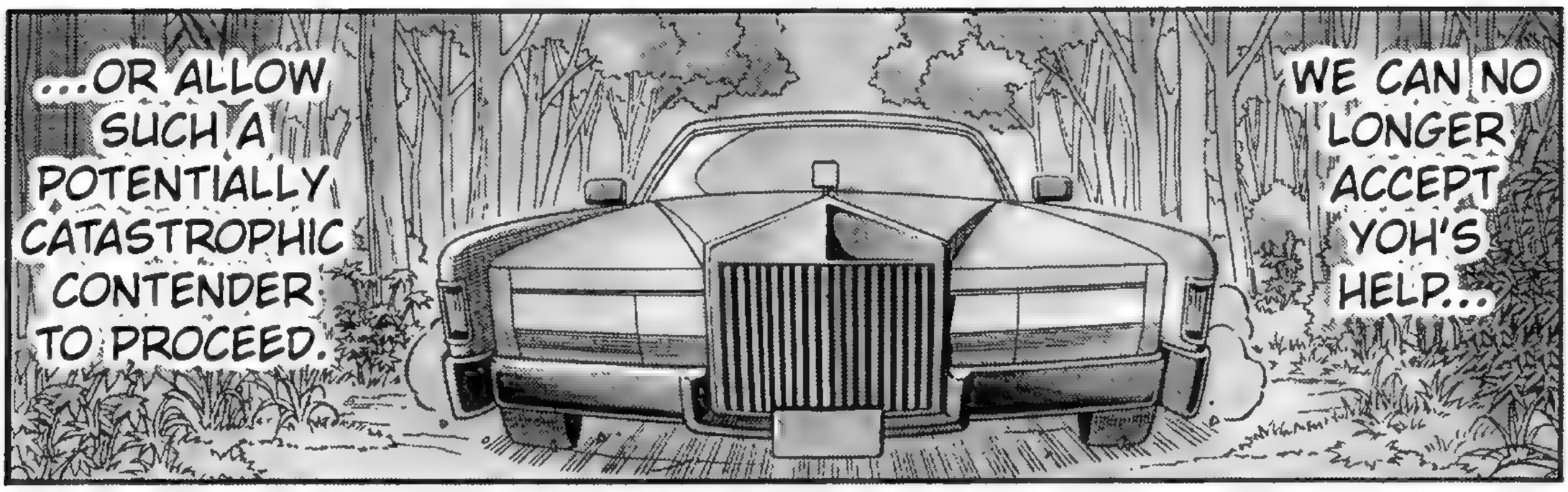


Reincarnation 156: Sorry

SHAMAN KING
HALLOWEEN

THE IRON MAIDEN?!

YOU SAID SO EARLIER, JOCO.

SHE'S THE LEADER OF THE X-LAWS, AND ONE OF THE THREE MAIN CONTENDERS.

LORD YOH!!

OOF!!

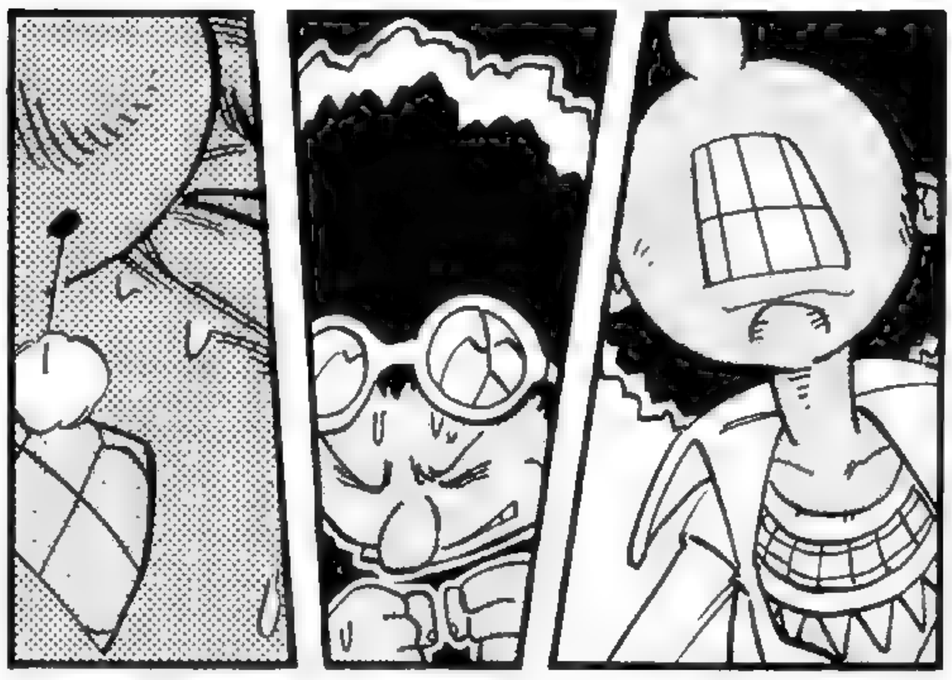
SWAK

HOW COULD YOU BE SO STUPID?!

FOOL!

YOU CAN'T OBLIGATE YOURSELF TO THE X-LAWS!!

HEY! WHAT WAS THAT FOR?



THINK ABOUT WHAT COULD HAPPEN TO YOU!

THEY'RE YOUR ENEMIES!

...YOU'RE NOT GONNA COME OUT AHEAD!!

ONE THING'S FOR SURE...

SHE'S THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN SAVE REN.

BUT I HAD NO CHOICE.

I KNOW.

WAP

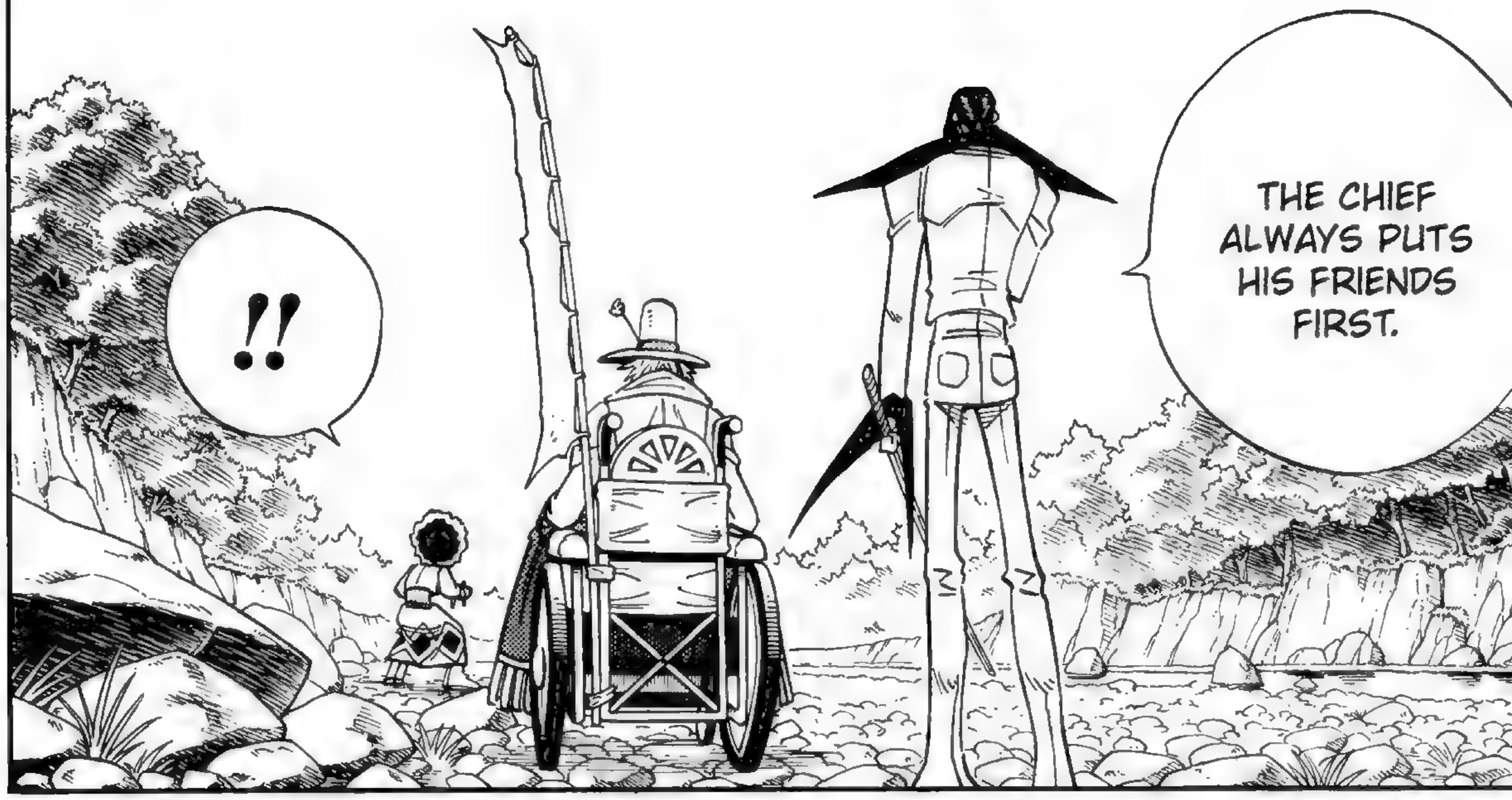
WAP

LORD YOH...

OH...

BUT ONE OF US COULD'VE MADE THE DEAL INSTEAD OF YOU!

MAYBE SO!!


!!
THE CHIEF ALWAYS PUTS HIS FRIENDS FIRST.

IT WOULD BE A SIN FOR ME TO GO AGAINST THEM.
ELIZA AND I WERE REUNITED THANKS TO YOH AND ANNA.

I SUPPORT WHATEVER DECISION HE MAKES.
THAT'S WHY MY HAPPY PLACE IS BY HIS SIDE.

DON'T WASTE YOUR BREATH ON THESE FOOLS.

FORGET IT, JOCO.

DON'T YOU GUYS GET IT?!

IF HE DIES, A PIECE OF OUR DREAMS WILL DIE WITH HIM.

I WANT TO SAVE REN TOO.

HOROHORO ?!

THAT'S WHY I FOUGHT UNTIL MY MANA WAS EXHAUSTED.

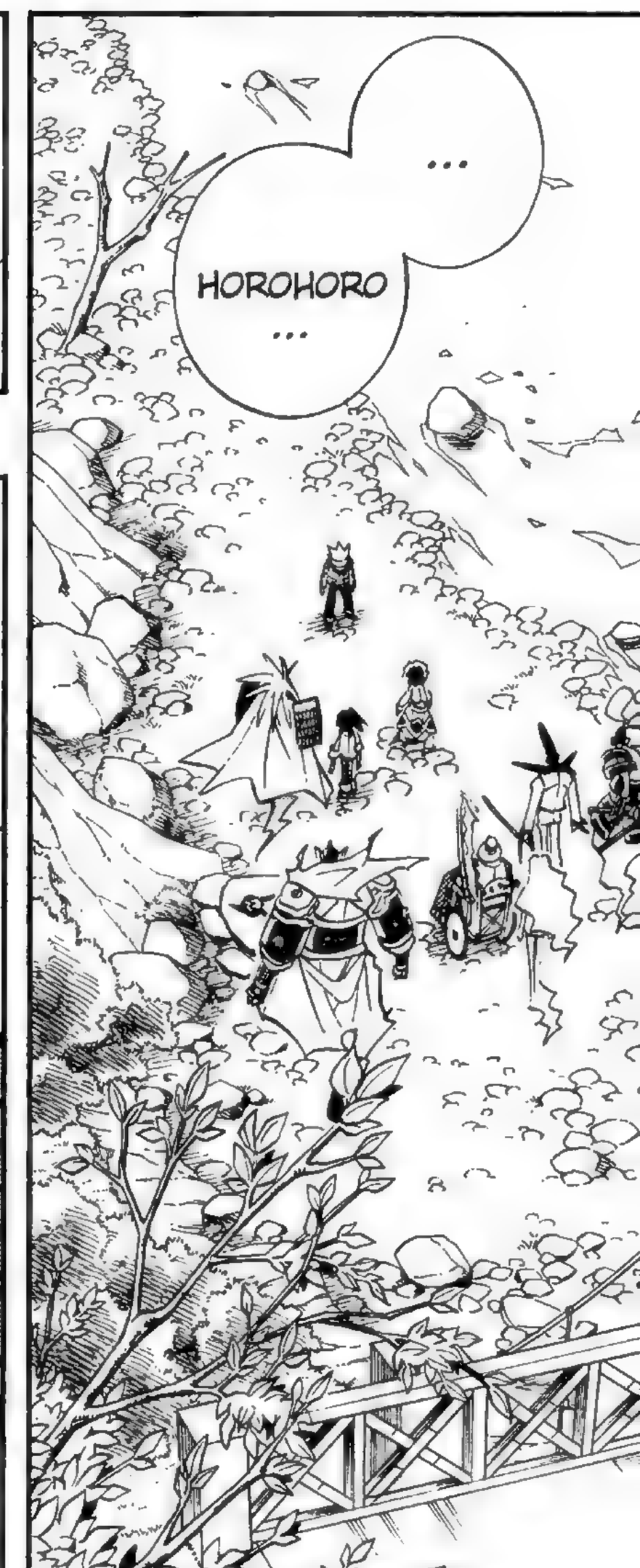
HOROHORO ...

...AND BEATS THEM WITH A SINGLE BLOW.

BUT THEN *HE* COMES ALONG...

HOW COULD I LOSE TO A WIMP WHO'D THROW AWAY EVERYTHING TO SAVE A FRIEND?!

I CAN'T STAND IT!!



GOT THAT, YOH?

IF REN DIES...

I'LL GET YOU IF IT'S THE LAST THING I DO.

HOROHORO, JOCO, GOOD LUCK.

WHAT?!
AND IF THIS WORKS, REN'S GONNA BE STRONGER THAN EVER.
IT'S OKAY, BASON. IT WASN'T YOUR FAULT.

FORGIVE ME, LORD YOH! I WASN'T STRONG ENOUGH!!
ARGH!!
BLUB

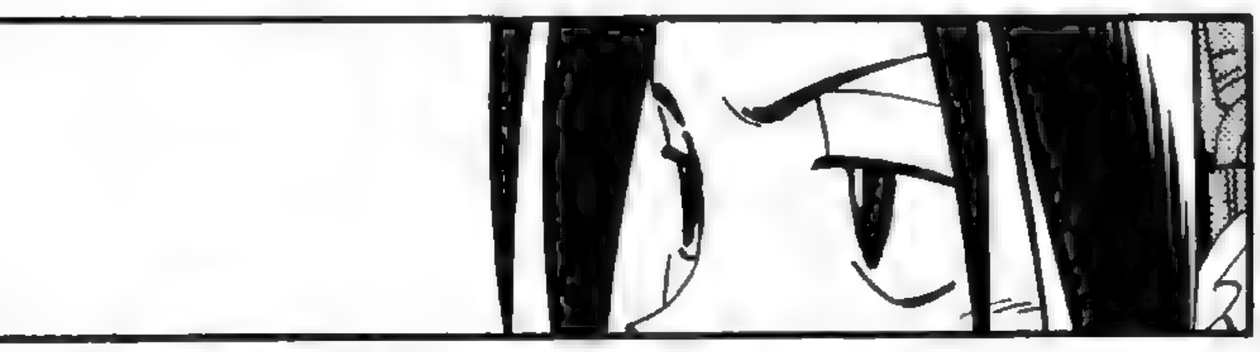
THEN HE'LL HAVE A GOOD SHOT AT WINNING.
HE'LL HAVE SO MUCH MANA, I'LL BE IRRELEVANT.

...
THERE WOULDN'T BE SO MUCH STRIFE.
IF THE PEOPLE OF THIS WORLD COULD REALLY BE FREE...

WHAT ARE YOU THINKING?!

LORD YOH...

CHUNK



IS THAT BECAUSE YOU'RE HAO'S BROTHER, YOH ASAKURA?
BUT YOU SEEM TO GRASP WHAT'S GOING ON.

EASY, AMIDAMARU.

CHAK

WHAT DID YOU SAY?!

THE X-LAWS!

AND THANK YOU FOR COMING, LYSERG.

THANKS, MANTA.

YOH, YOH...!

SOB... YOH!!

...

HE SEEMS CONFLICTED.

DON'T MAKE THINGS WORSE, RYU.

LYSERG...

SHE'S CHANGING INTO HER OVER SOUL TO ACTIVATE HER ABILITY.

LADY JEANNE IS IN THE CAR.

YOU WILL HAVE THE HONOR OF GAZING UPON HER BLESSED FORM.

YOU WILL ADDRESS HER AS "LADY JEANNE"!!

IS JEANNE HERE?

SNAP

DON'T MAKE THINGS WORSE, RYU.

SWIP

CHANGING ...

YES, WE WERE ALL SHOCKED TO LEARN THAT THE LOATHSOME HAO IS YOUR BROTHER.

WE HAVE AN EXCELLENT INTELLIGENCE NETWORK.

TMP

YOU KNOW ABOUT ME AND HAO.

SO...

...UNTIL YOU AGREE TO OUR TERMS.

BUT SHE WILL NOT EMERGE...

HUH?

IT'S TRUE THAT AT TIMES, A KING MUST MAKE SACRIFICES TO PROTECT HIS KINGDOM.

HE SACRIFICES A FEW FOR THE GOOD OF THE MANY.

BUT A KING MUST NEVER SACRIFICE *HIMSELF.*

...IS UNIMAGINABLE FOLLY.

AND TO DO SO FOR ONE PERSON...

YOU'RE A FOOL, YOH.

YOU HAVE GREAT POWER, YET YOU'D SACRIFICE EVERYTHING FOR A FRIEND.

THAT IS NOT WORTHY OF A KING.

...NEVER HAD WHAT IT TAKES TO BE THE SHAMAN KING.

YOU...

YOU MADE A WISE DECISION.

t up

WELL DONE.

MAKE IT QUICK. REN'S LIFE IS ON THE LINE.

WHAT ARE YOUR TERMS?

SO?

HA HA HA HA HA HA!

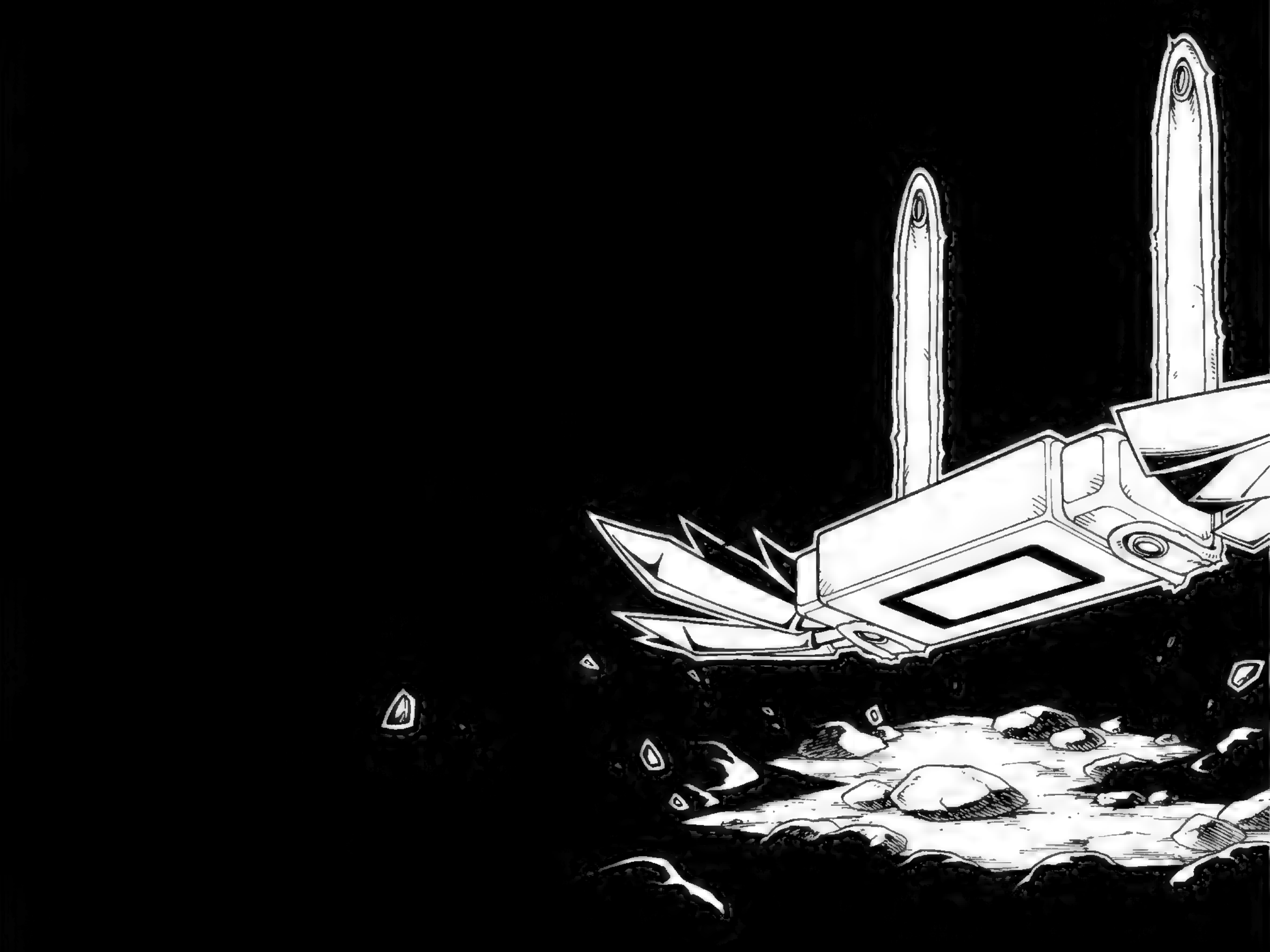
HEH HEH...

GRANDPA, GRANDMA, MOM, DAD, TAMAO, PONCHI AND CONCHI, MANTA, AMIDAMARU, MOSUKE, RYU, TOKAGERO, REN, BASON, JUN, BAILONG, SILVA, HOROHORO, KORORO, PIRKA, FAUST, ELIZA, BOZ, LILIRARA, LYSERG, MORPHIN, JOCO, MICK...

THANKS FOR EVERYTHING.

AND
ANNA...

I'M SORRY.

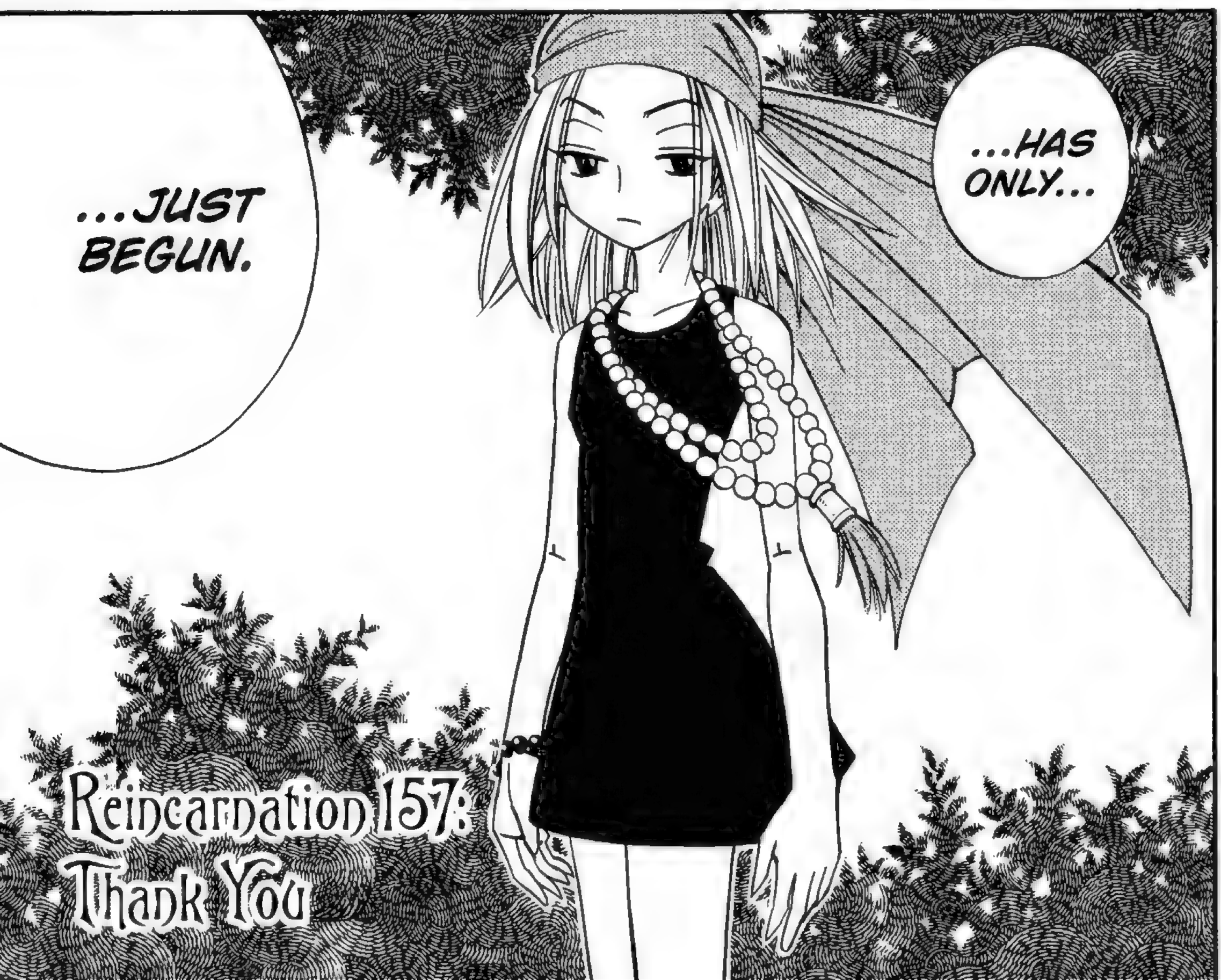


SHAMAN KING CHARACTER FILE No.92

OVER SOUL:

ASHCROFT

YET TO COME?



Reincarnation 157: Thank You

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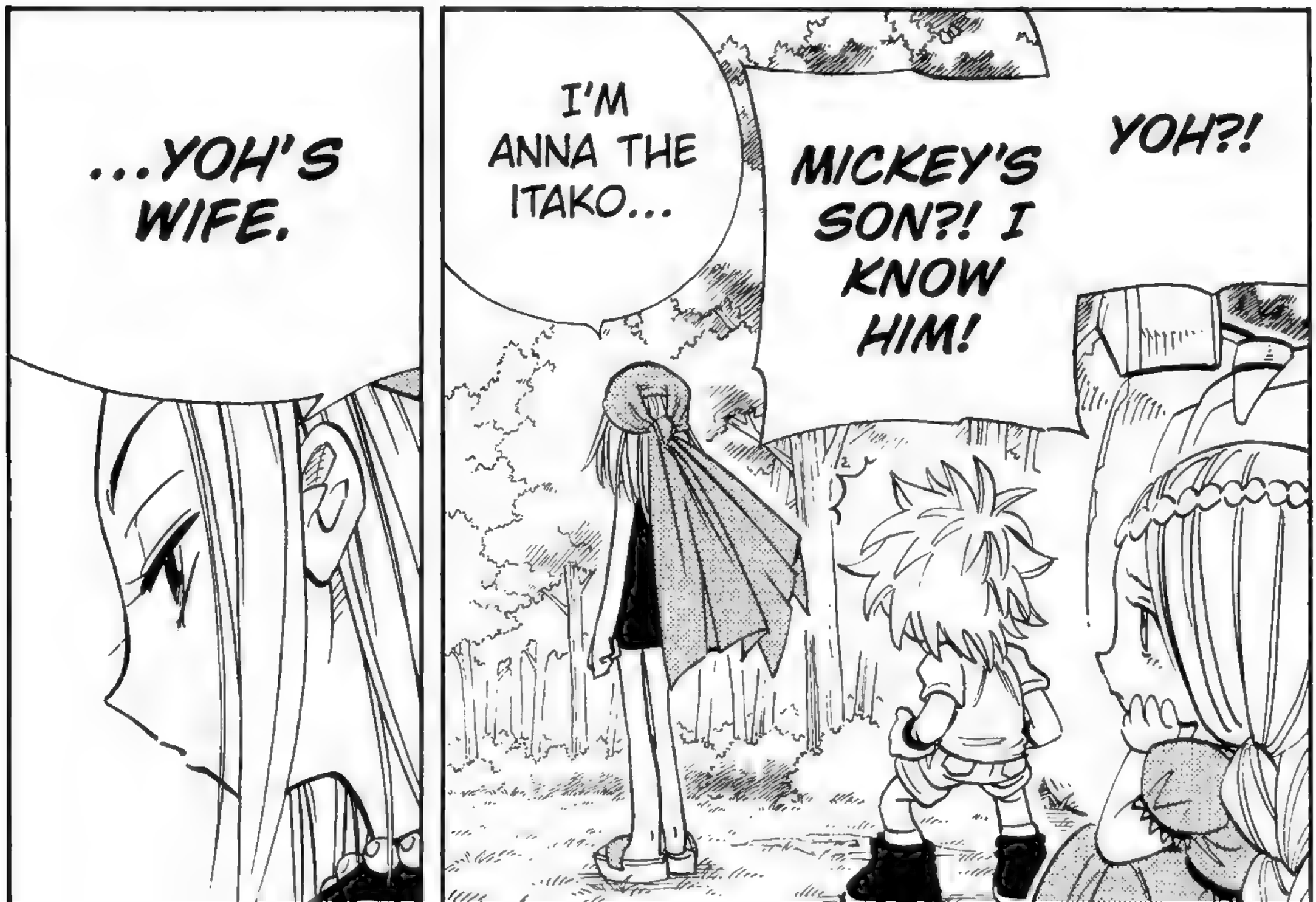
Thank You

THIS IS TOO MUCH FUN.

...WHAT'S GOING ON OVER THERE RIGHT NOW!

ONLY JUST BEGUN?! SHE DOESN'T EVEN KNOW...

PFFT!



I'M TAMAO, MASTER MIKIHISA'S PUPIL! N-NICE TO MEET YOU.

BOW

...

THEN YOU'RE MICKEY'S DAUGHTER-IN-LAW.

...

MICKEY'S AWESOME!

WIFE ?!

NO WONDER YOU ACT LIKE SUCH A BIG SHOT.

I'VE HEARD OF THE ASAKURA. SO YOU'RE THE HEIR'S WIFE.

SO THAT'S HOW IT IS.

THOUGH I'M SURE YOU'D BE ARROGANT ANYWAY, CONSIDERING WHAT YOU ARE.

IT'S JUST EATING YOU UP, ISN'T IT?

NOT EVEN YOUR PRECIOUS YOH CAN HANDLE EVERYTHING.

YOU'D BETTER CHECK IT IF YOU WANT OUR RESPECT.

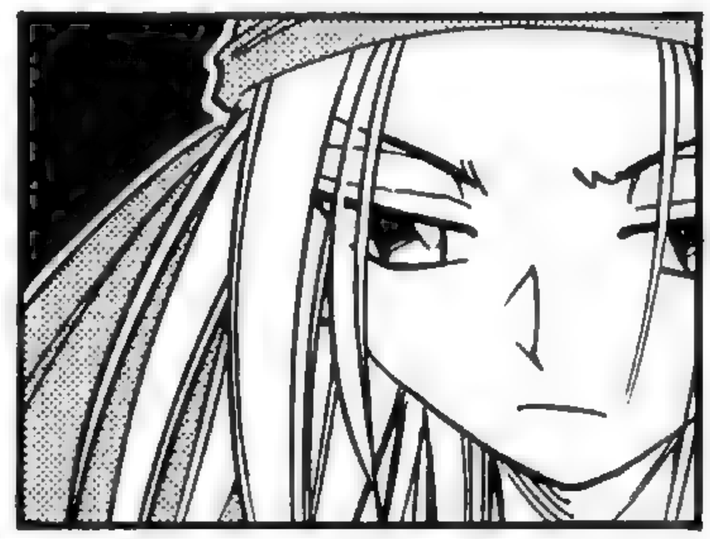
WE'RE NOT STUPID. WE CAN TELL YOU HAVE POWERS.

YEAH, BUT...

I STILL SAY SHE NEEDS AN ATTITUDE ADJUSTMENT.

...ONE OF THEM SHOULD ALREADY BE DEAD.

HEE HEE... BY NOW...



YOU HAVE TO GET TO THE SHAMAN FIGHT.
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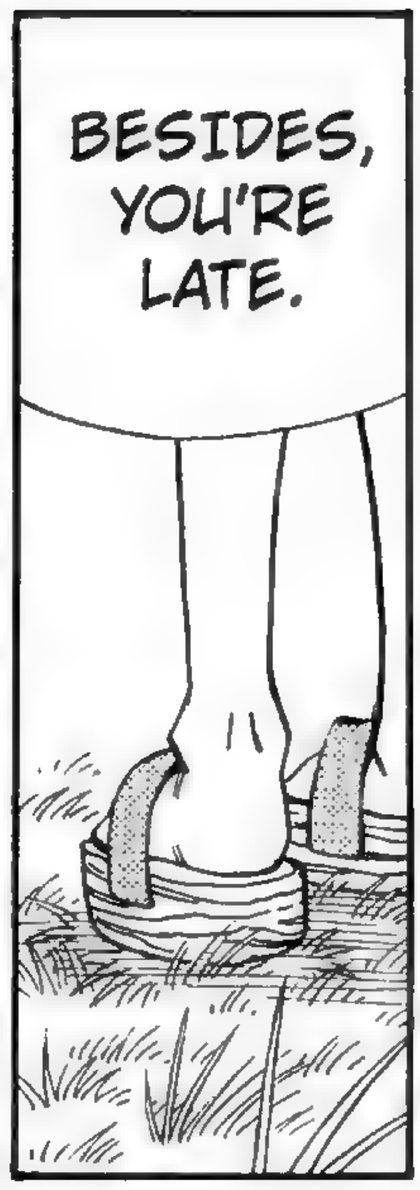
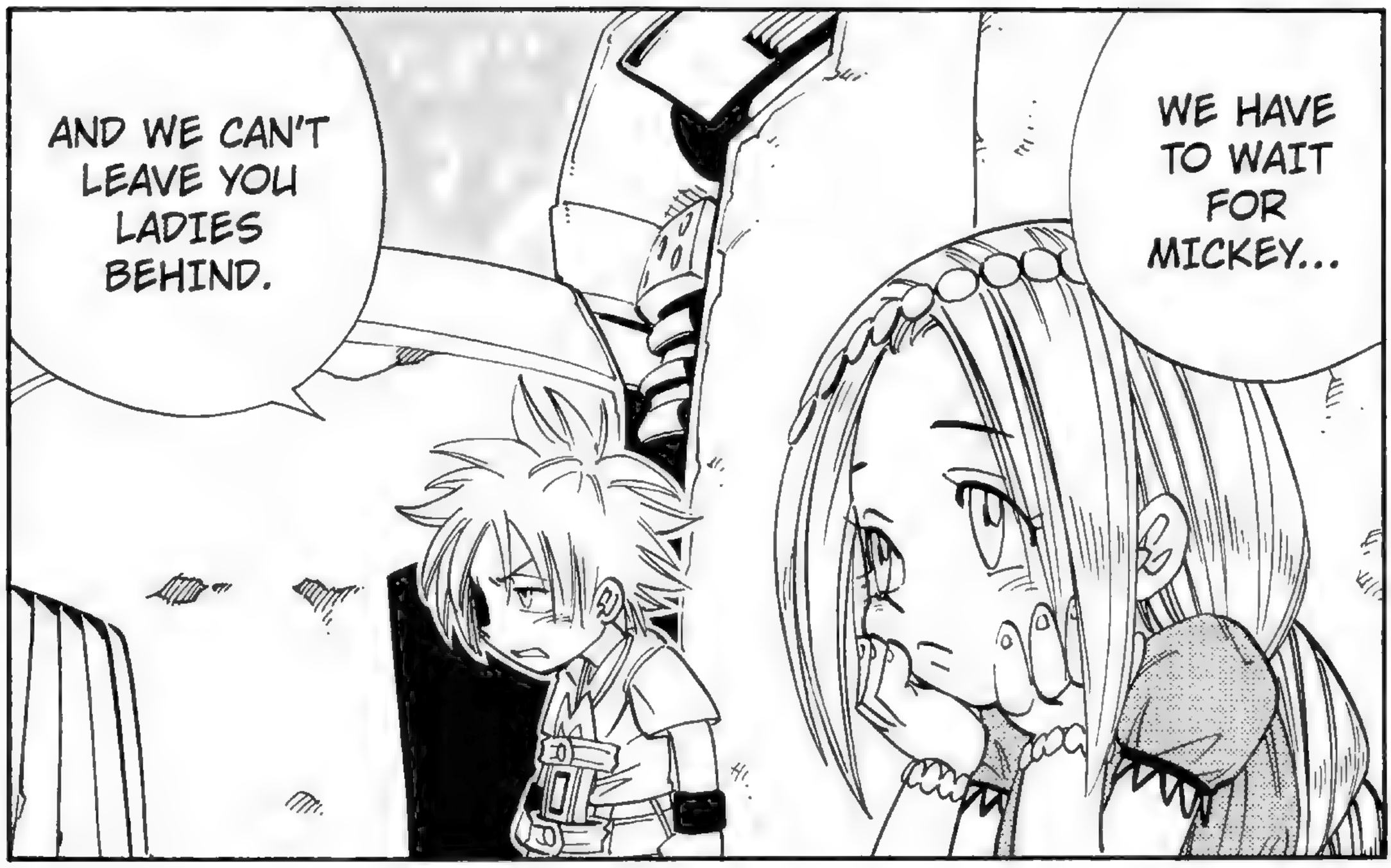

BESIDES, YOU'RE LATE.

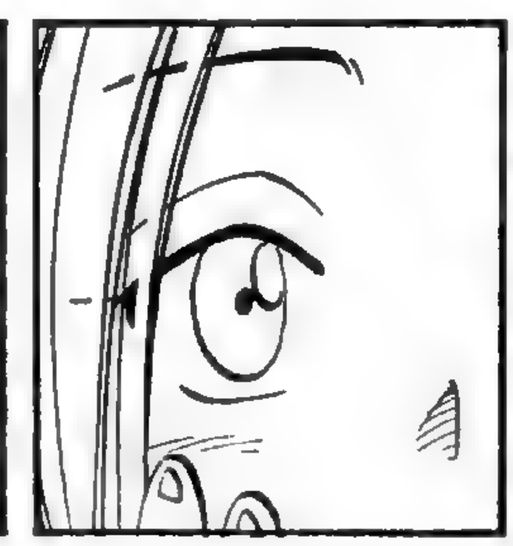
YEAH, BUT...!
YOU DON'T NEED TO KNOW.

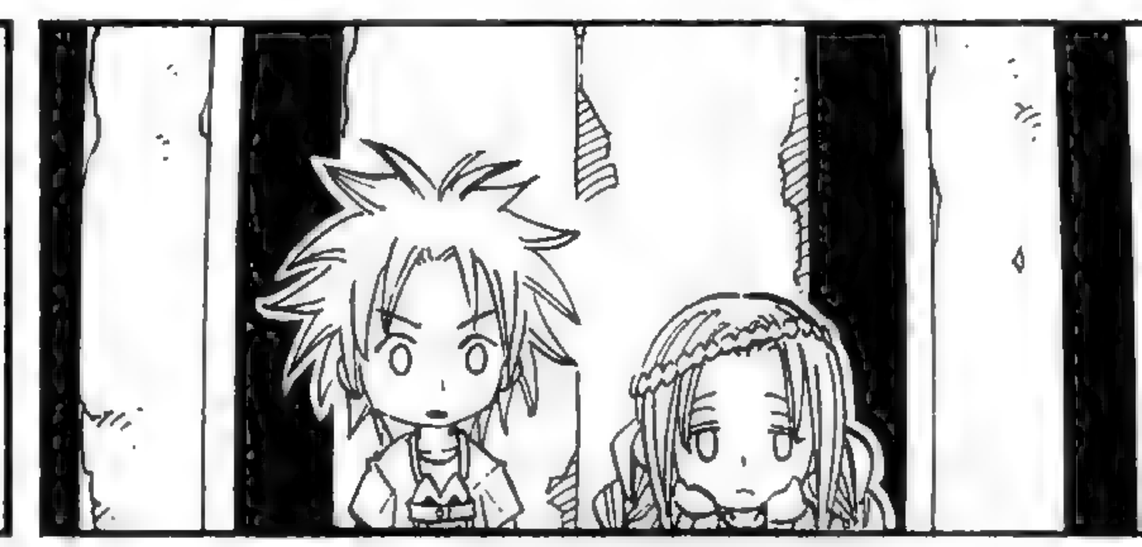

AND WE CAN'T LEAVE YOU LADIES BEHIND.
WE HAVE TO WAIT FOR MICKEY...

...THIS IS *YOUR* SHAMAN FIGHT.
WHETHER MICKEY'S HERE OR NOT...

...CARE ABOUT YOUR DREAM?

DON'T YOU...





ALL RIGHT...

BRING IT ON.

COME TO LIFE AND CUT OFF HER HEAD!!

FINE!! GETTER GETTER MUINGETTER !!

GRAH!

DARN IT!!

FLIP

GRR

JACK THE RIPPER !!
FLASH
OVER SOUL !!

TRACK OR TREAT !!

!

WHAT THE ...!!

UGH...

I'LL TAKE YOU ON.

...
KOKKURI CUPID.
OVER SOUL...
FSSJ
SSS

TAMAO ...?

...

LADY ANNA, GET THE KIDS TO THE STADIUM.

OVER SOUL...

WESTERN GUNMAN DOLL.

KA HA HA

MAGNUM-
CRAFT
!!
BLAMBLAM!!BLAM

OVER
SOUL...

KOKKURI
ANGEL!!

YOU'RE NOT BAD. DID YOU LEARN THAT FROM ASAKURA?

HMM...

HE IS MY MASTER.

LORD MIKIHISA TAUGHT ME MY CRAFT.

AND IF THESE KIDS ARE HIS TEAMMATES, I'LL FIGHT TO DEFEND THEM.

HEY, TAMAO...

DON'T GET TOO COCKY...

SHE SWITCHED SPIRIT ALLIES!!

...

YEAH, ME AND PONCHI!!

DOOM

CONCHI AND I ARE DOING THE ACTUAL FIGHTING !!

I CAN'T BELIEVE MY FIRST ATTACK MISSED.

YOU SEEM LIKE A NICE LITTLE GIRL, BUT YOUR SPIRIT ALLIES ARE CLOWNS.

SWINK

AND I'LL CRUSH YOU.

THIS IS SO EMBARRASS-ING!

OH WELL.

...WE'VE REALLY GOTTEN SERIOUS YET.

IT'S NOT LIKE...

THE GUY'S HEAD IS POKING OUT OF HIS CHEST!!

WHOA!

INDEED, LADY MATILDA.

...TO FINISH THEM.

IT'S TIME...

IT SHOULDN'T TAKE US LONG TO TROUNCE THIS LOT.

A CORPSE AND TWO WRETCHED ANIMALS...

DO AS TAMAO SAID AND GET THOSE CHILDREN AWAY FROM HERE.

ANNA...

DON'T RUSH IN. I'LL GIVE YOU PLENTY OF TIME TO FIGHT HIM, BAILONG.

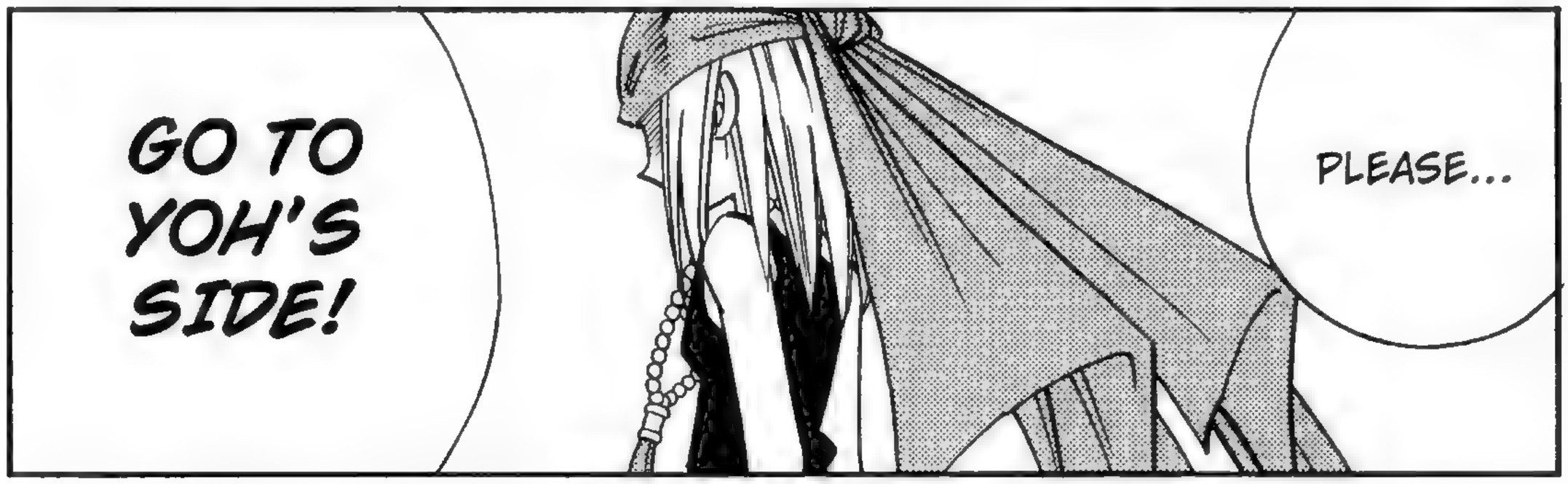
WHAT DID YOU SAY?

KRAK

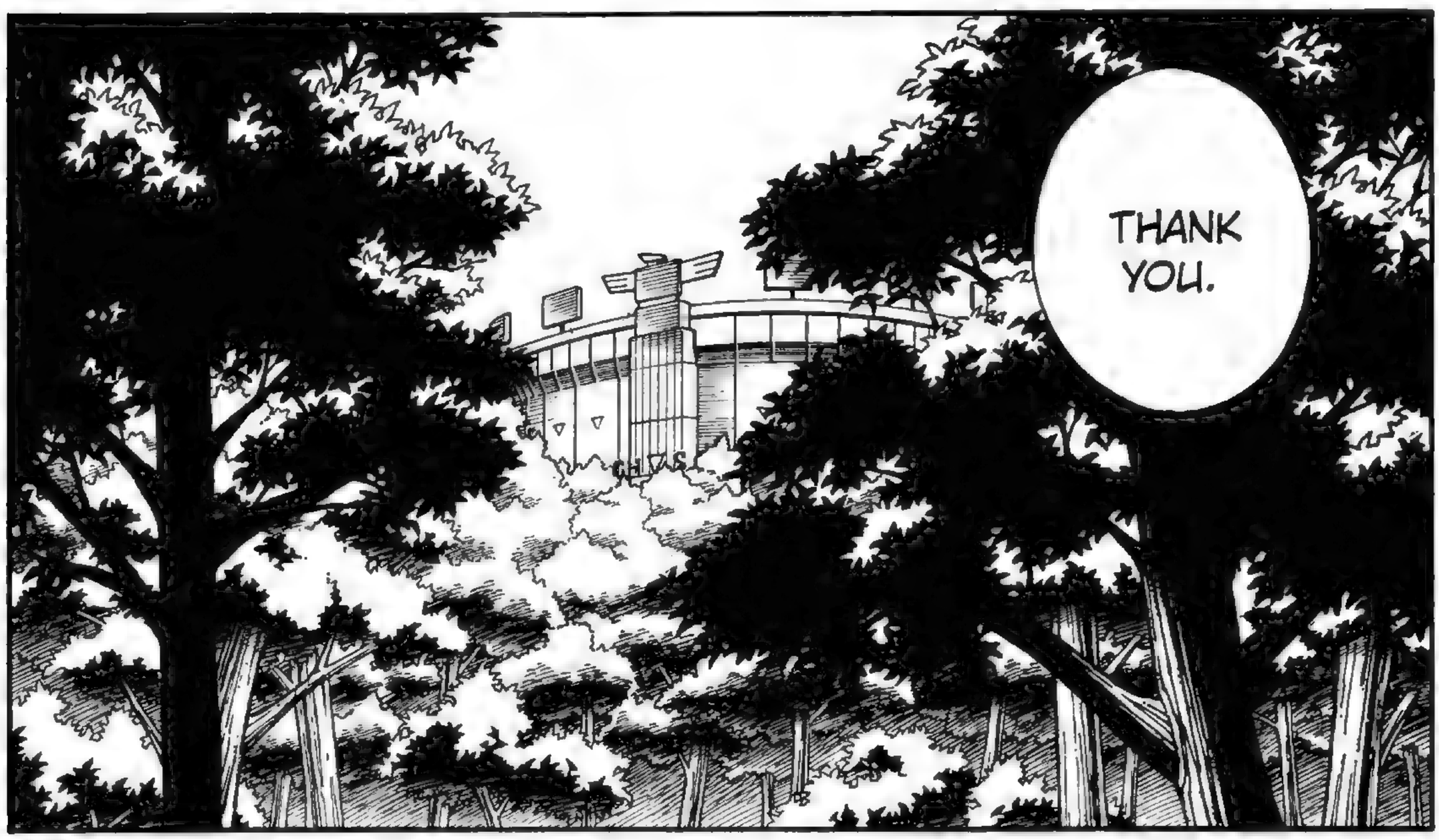
KRAK

WE CAN HANDLE THIS.

YOU'RE GROUCHY BECAUSE YOU'RE WORRIED ABOUT YOH.


GO TO YOH'S SIDE!
PLEASE...

...


THANK YOU.

SHAMAN KING CHARACTER FILE No.93

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SALERM LUDSEV

2001
(JAN)

BIRTHDAY: FEBRUARY 16, 1994
ASTROLOGICAL SIGN: AQUARIUS
BLOOD TYPE: O
AGE: 6

BIRTHDAY: AUGUST 15, 1992
ASTROLOGICAL SIGN: LEO
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HA HA HA HA!

HAH!

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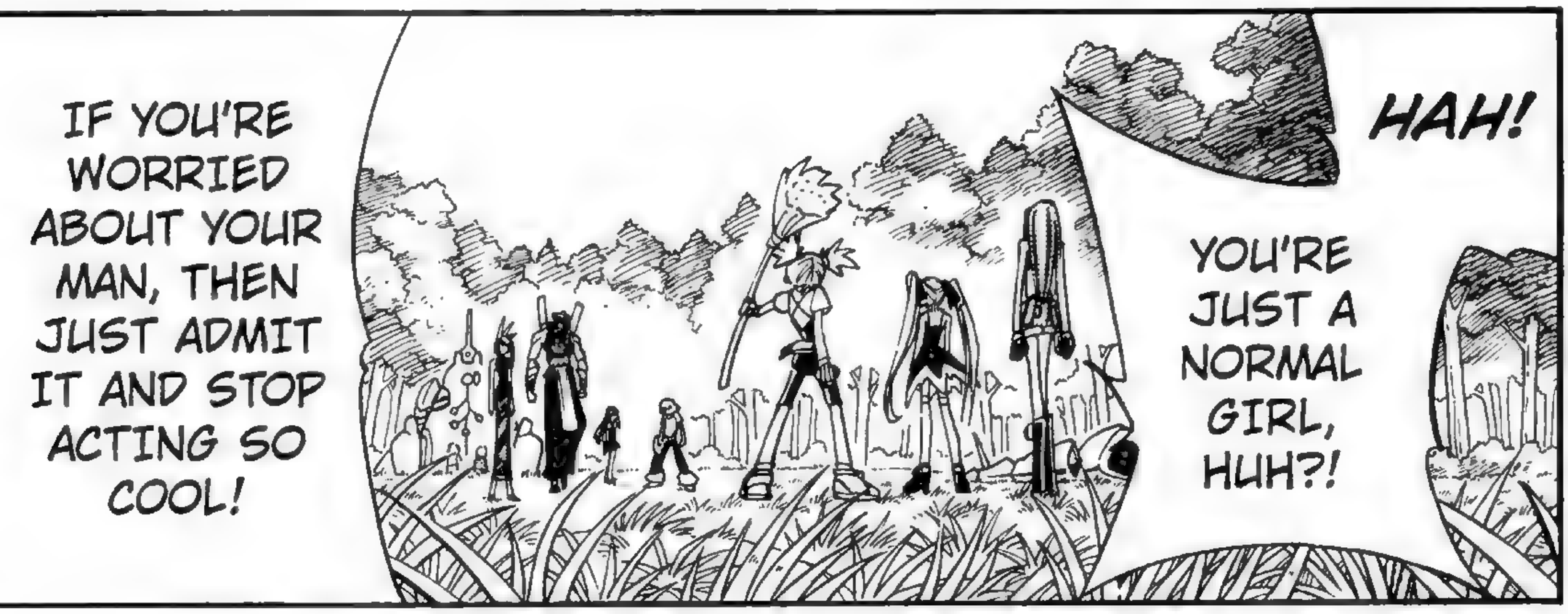

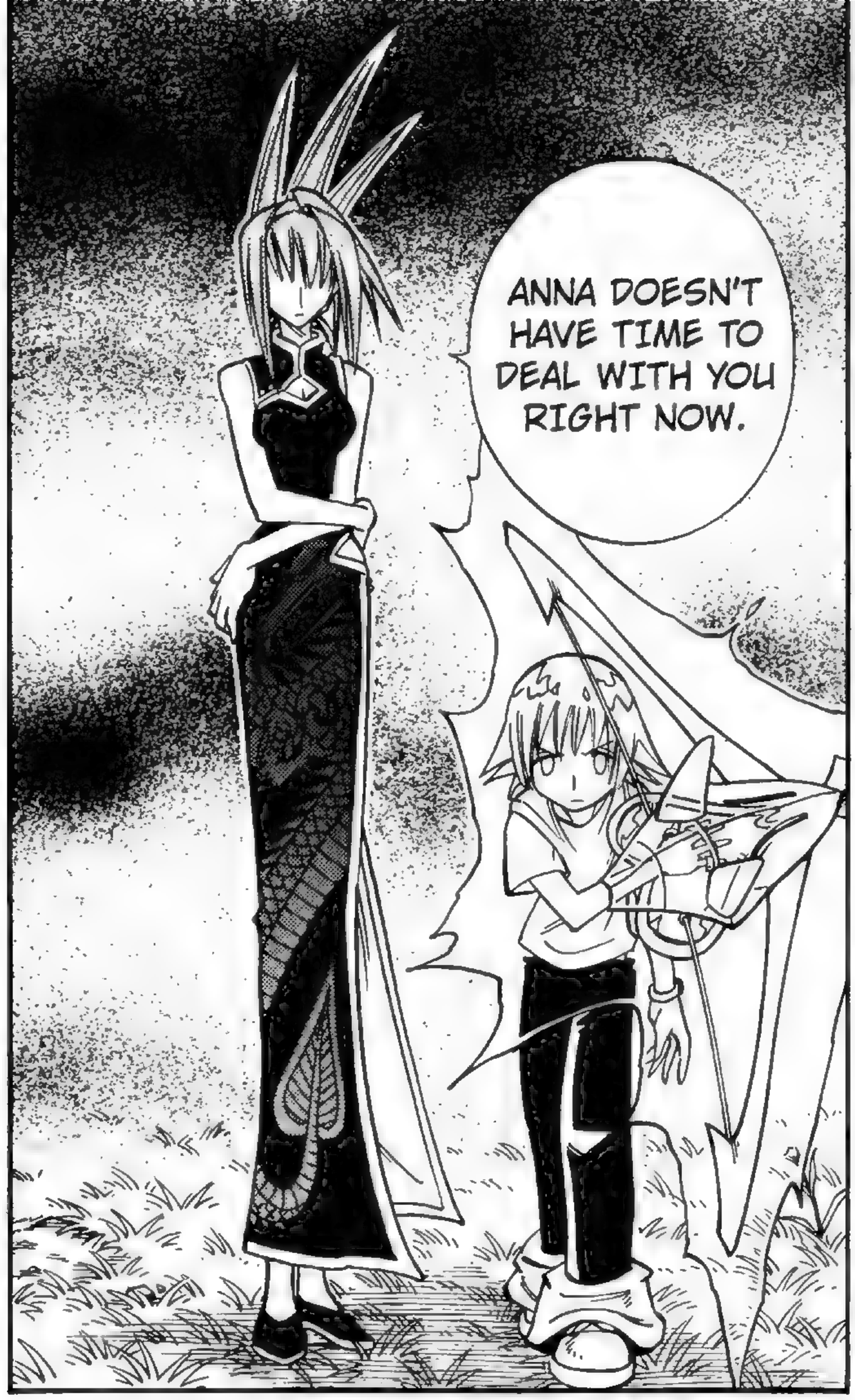
ANNA DOESN'T HAVE TIME TO DEAL WITH YOU RIGHT NOW.

WHOA!!

BUT WE'LL TAKE YOU ON.

IF THAT'S OKAY.

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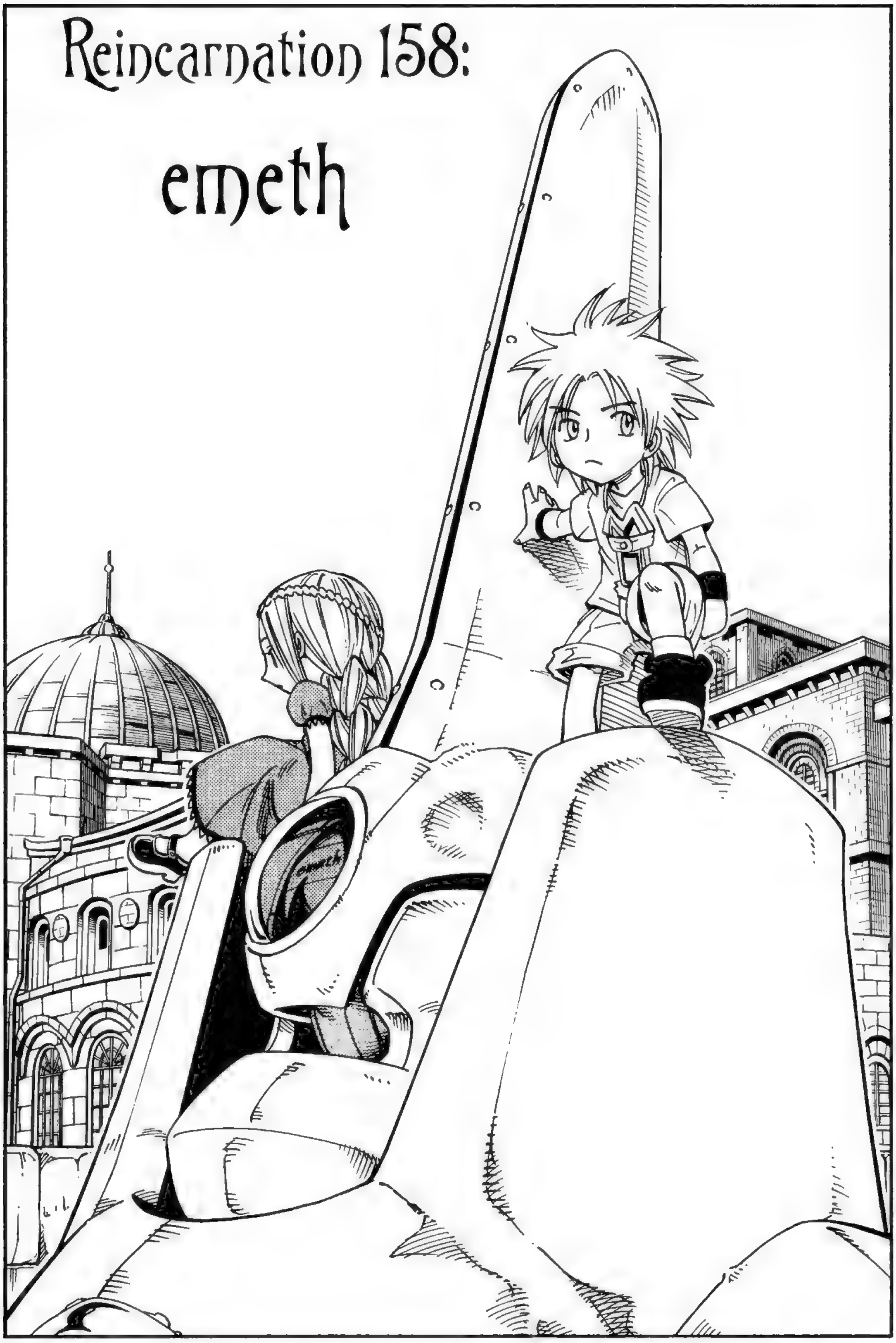
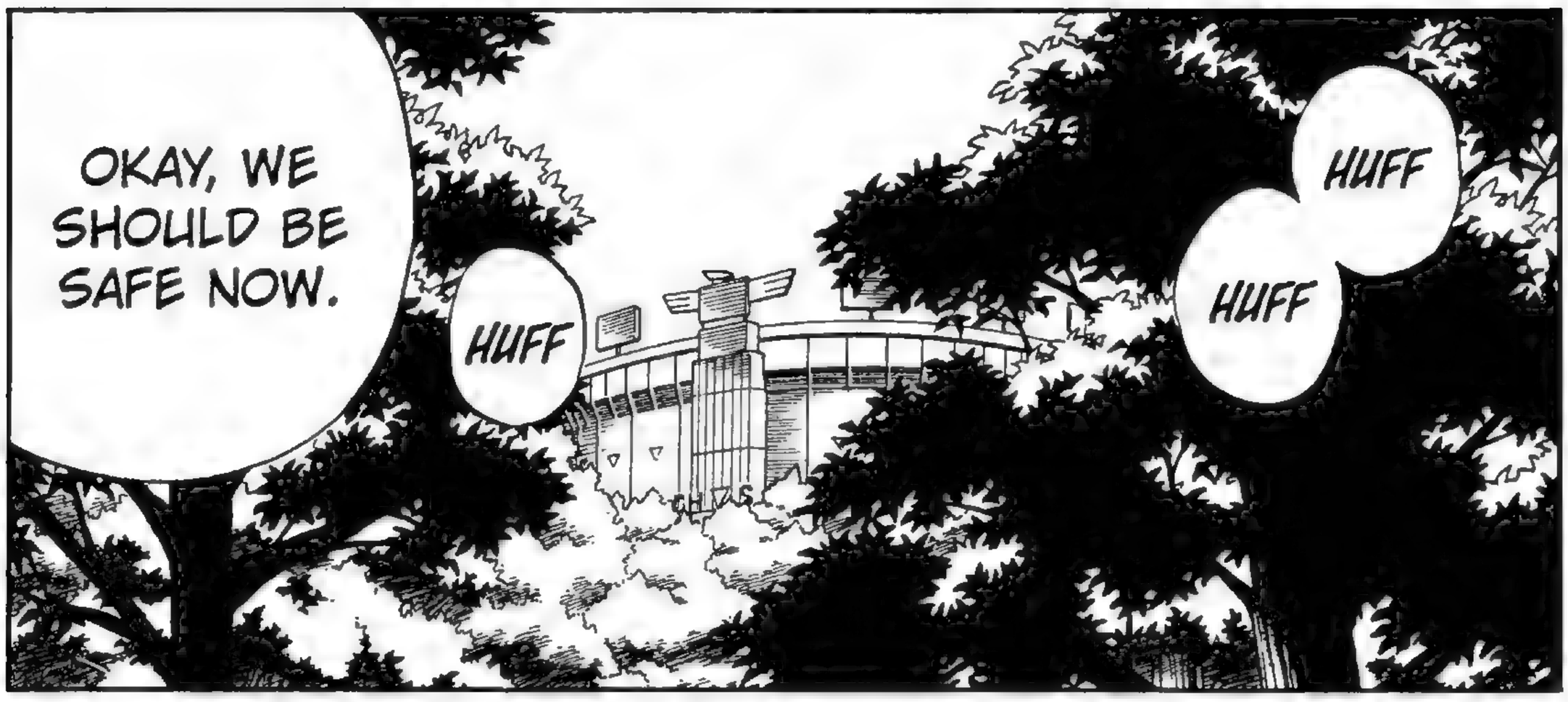
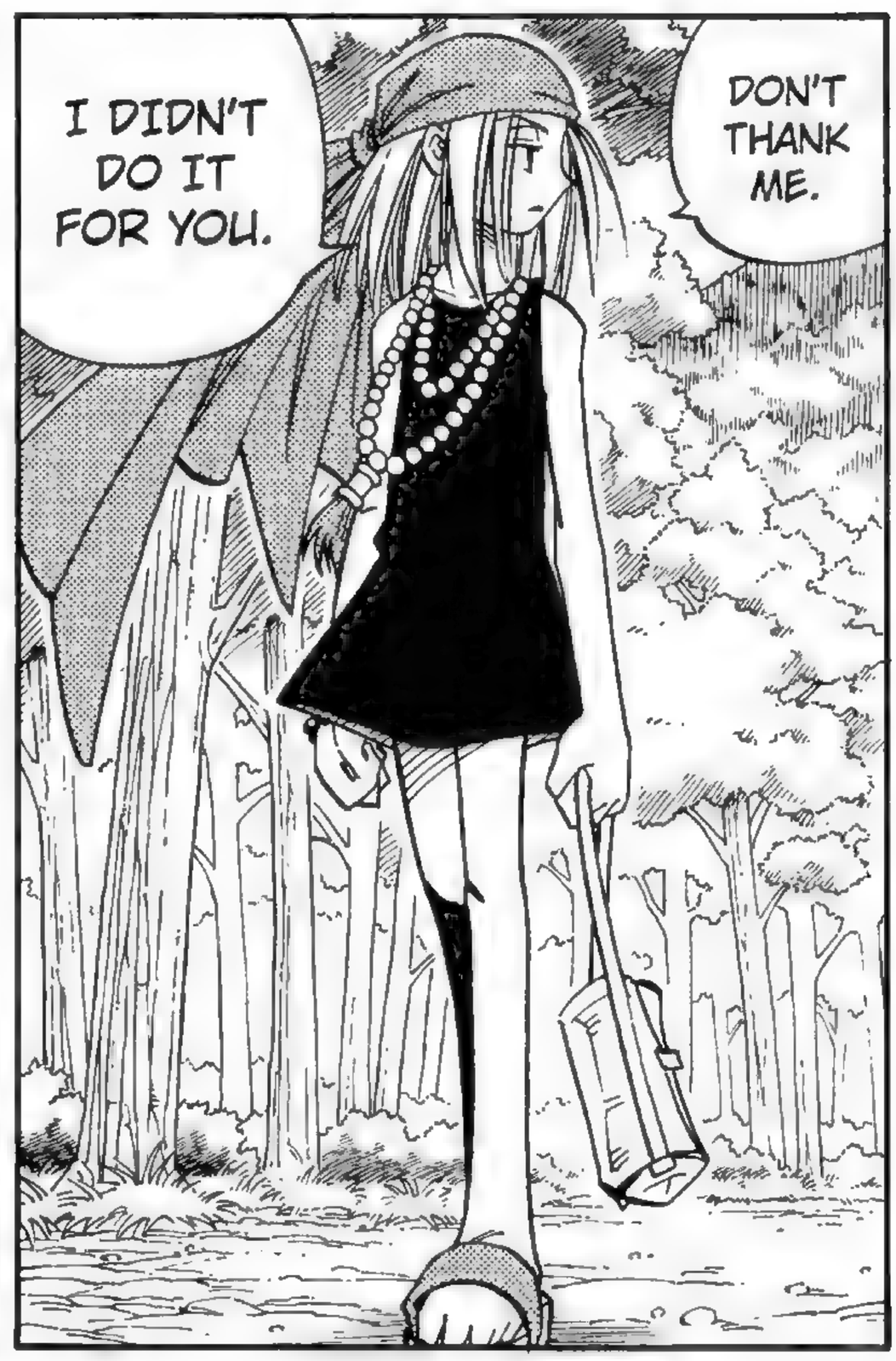
emeth




OKAY, WE SHOULD BE SAFE NOW.
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF

...FOR COMING WITH US.
THANKS...

ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE...
YOU'RE BREATHING SO HARD.


I DIDN'T DO IT FOR YOU.
DON'T THANK ME.

SHE'S MY LITTLE SISTER. I HAVE TO CARRY HER.

IF I DIDN'T, SHE'D JUST SIT THERE.

?

...OKAY?

HUH?

DOOM

CAN'T YOU SEE?

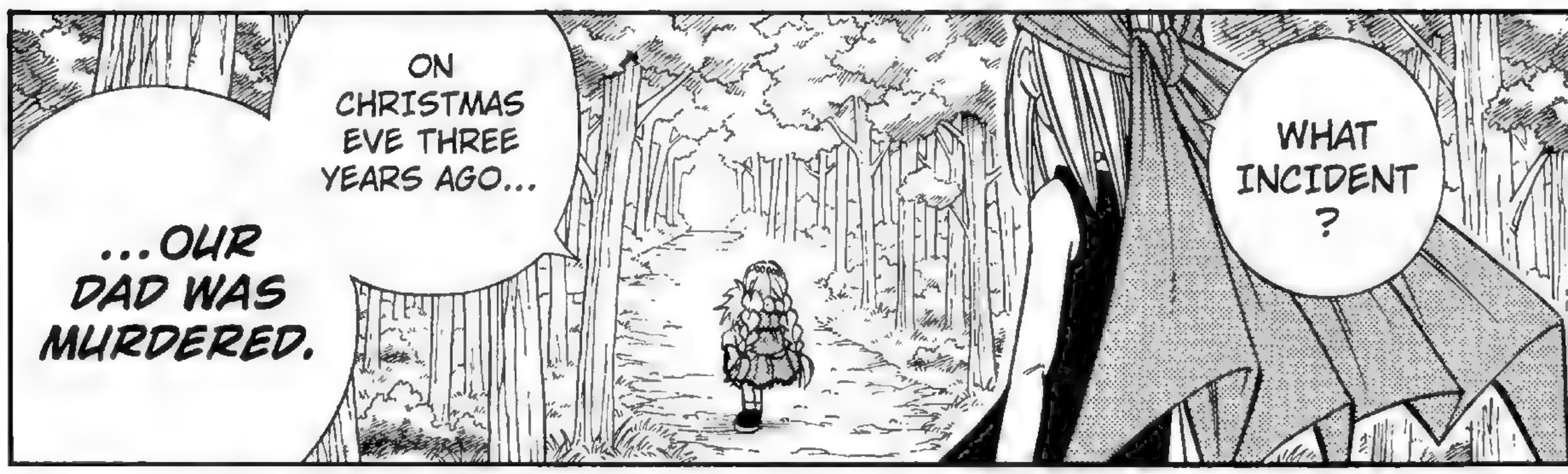
...

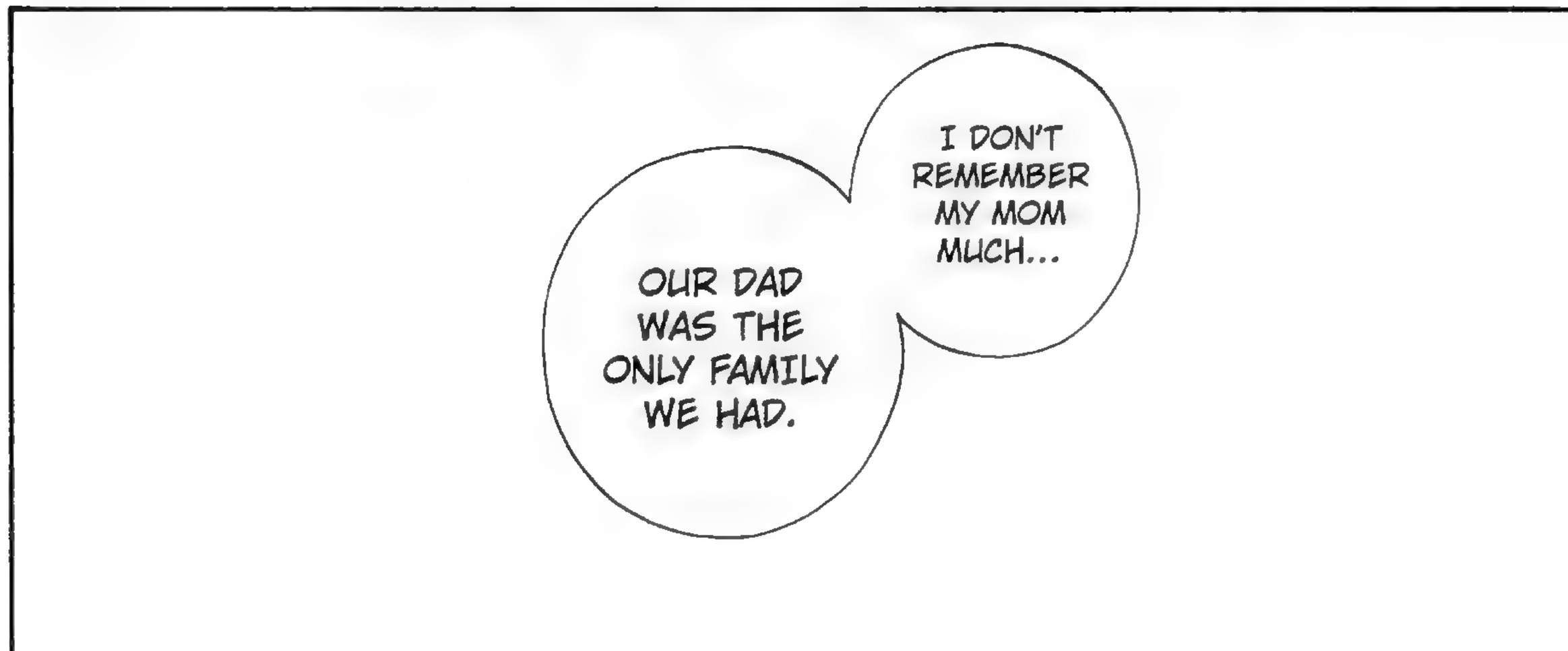
...HAS NO EMOTIONS.

SHE...

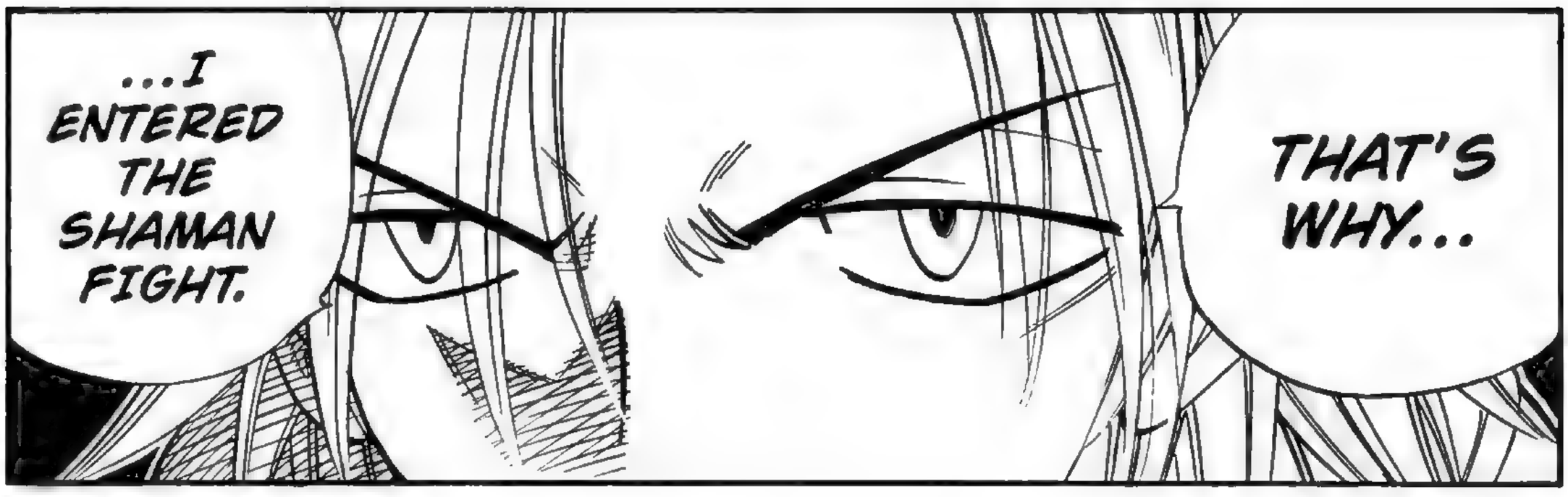
...FEELINGS ALL DRIED UP AFTER THE INCIDENT.

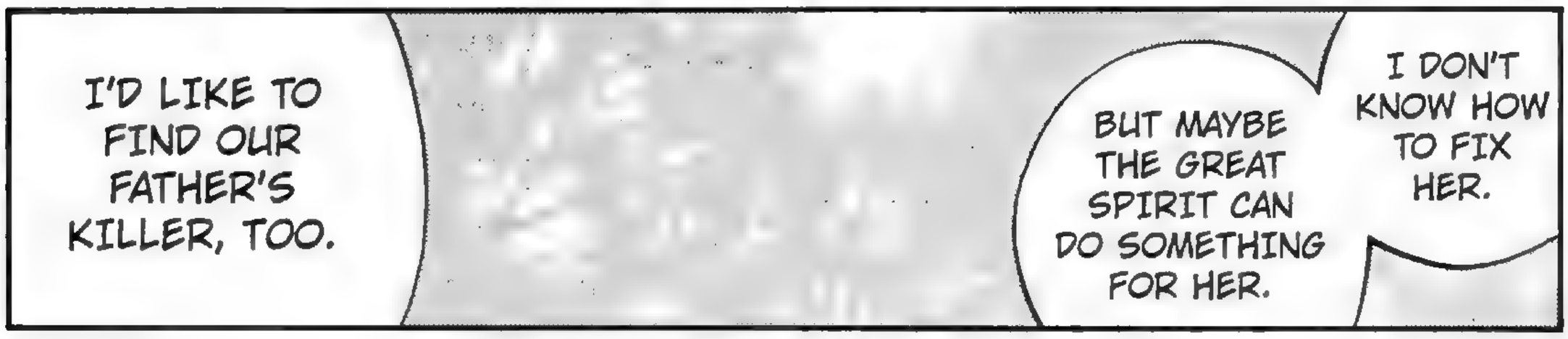
SALERM'S...





READ THIS WAY
...WE WERE WAITING FOR HIM TO BRING HOME THE PRESENTS.
THAT NIGHT...
NEXT TIME WE SAW HIM...
...HE WAS A SNOW-COVERED CORPSE. SOMEONE HAD TAKEN ALL OUR PRESENTS AND KILLED HIM.
BUT I'M GOING TO MAKE HER RIGHT AGAIN SOMEDAY.
SO I HAVE TO TAKE CARE OF HER.
SHE'S BEEN LIKE THIS EVER SINCE.
SALERM HAD GONE OUT TO LOOK FOR HIM...
...AND FOUND HIM LIKE THAT.

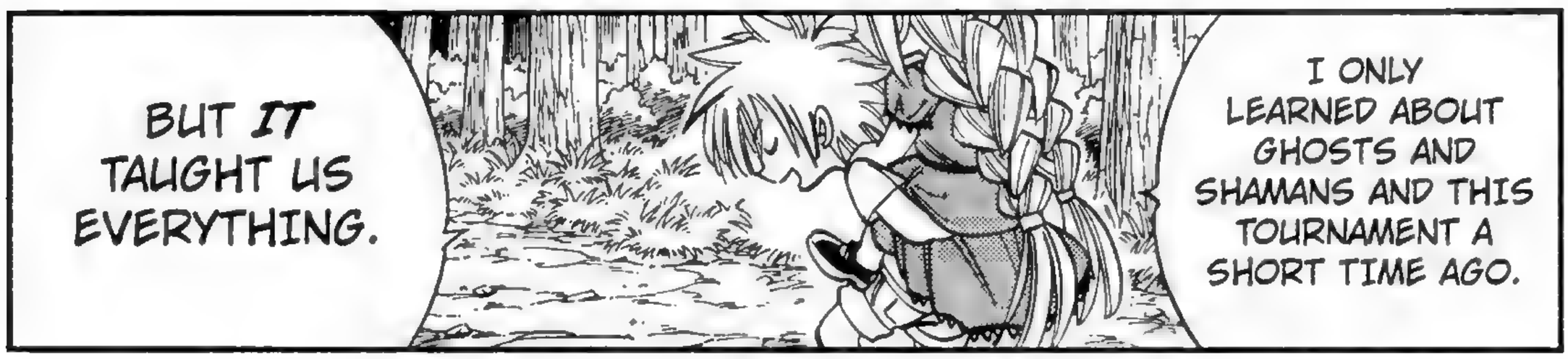

...I ENTERED THE SHAMAN FIGHT.
THAT'S WHY...


I'D LIKE TO FIND OUR FATHER'S KILLER, TOO.
BUT MAYBE THE GREAT SPIRIT CAN DO SOMETHING FOR HER.
I DON'T KNOW HOW TO FIX HER.

...LIKE THE REST OF YOU GUYS.
HA HA HA
I DON'T HAVE ANY BIG GOALS...

HUH?
I DON'T GET YOU.

IF YOU'RE A SHAMAN...
...YOU COULD JUST USE GHOSTS TO FIND THE KILLER.



OUR DAD TRAVELED THE WORLD TRYING TO END A CONFLICT AND REVIVE A LOST ART.

IT'S AN AUTOMATON CREATED LONG AGO TO PROTECT OUR ANCESTORS...

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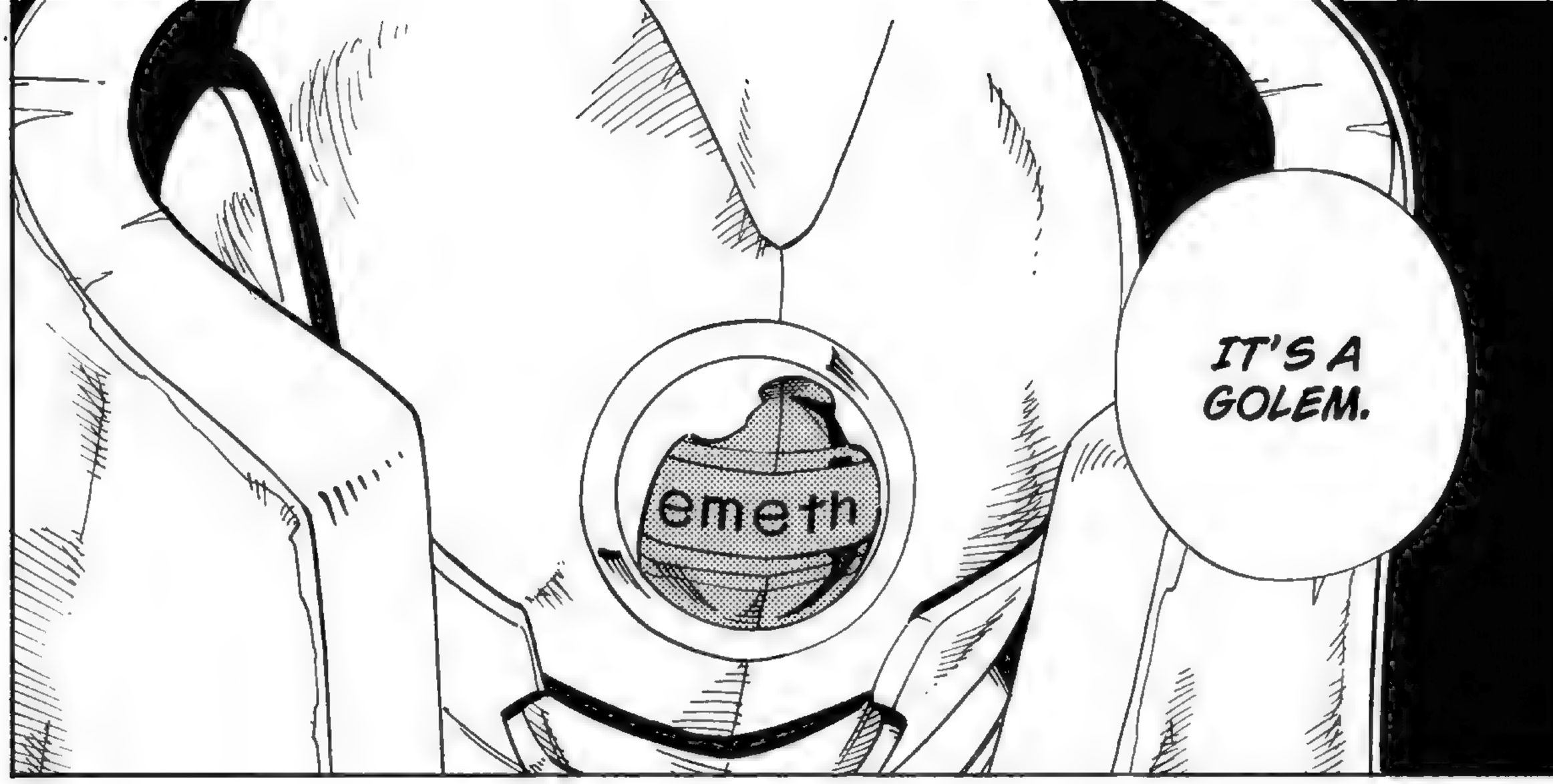
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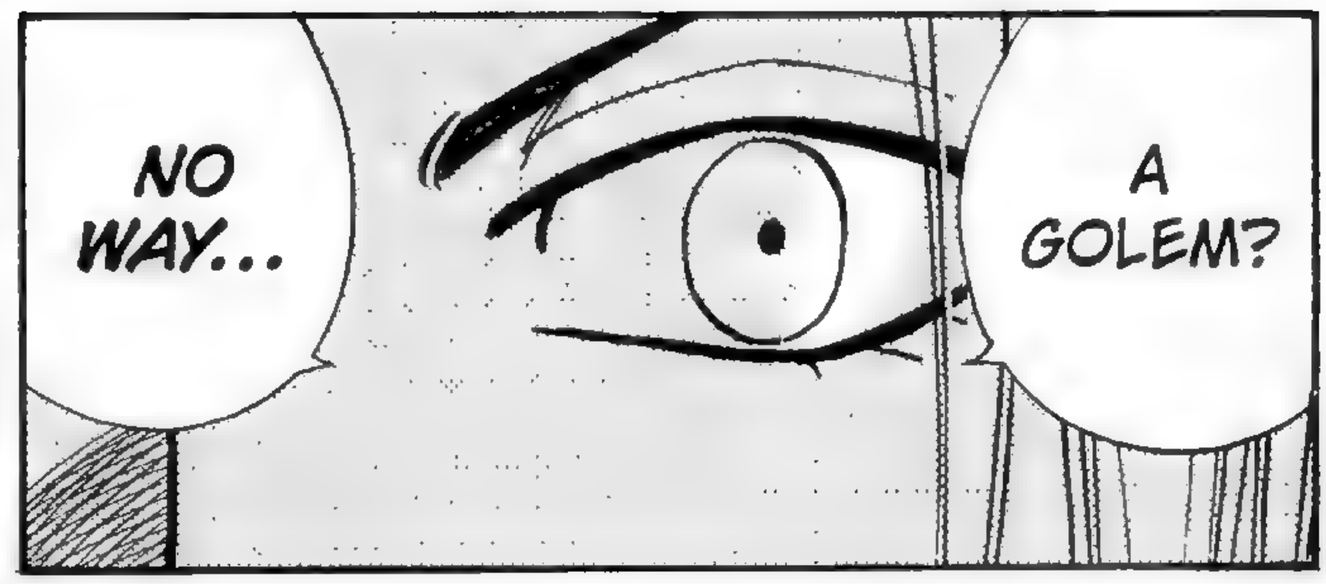
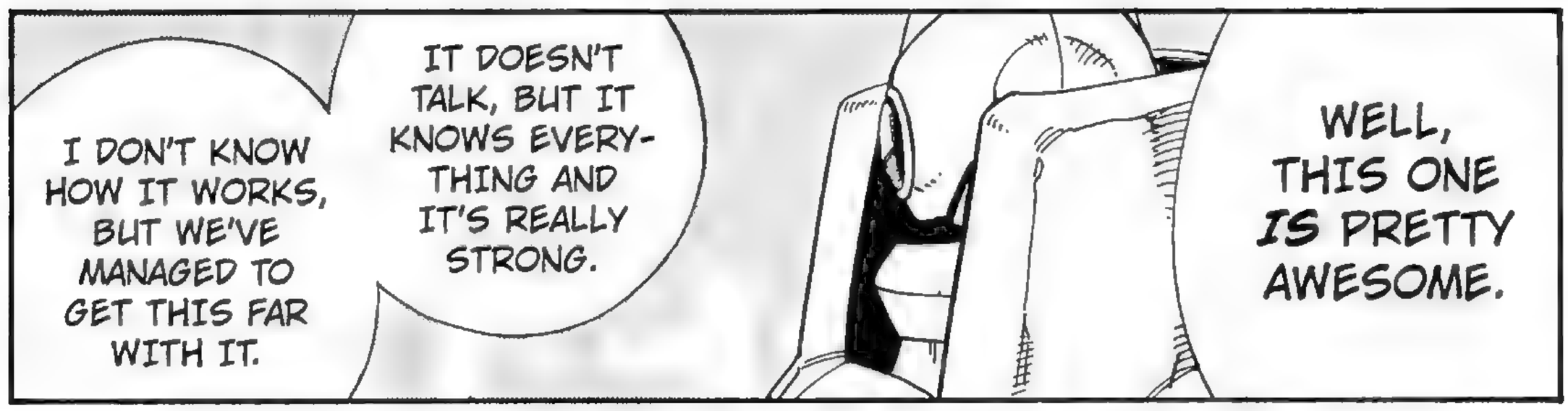
IT'S A GOLEM.

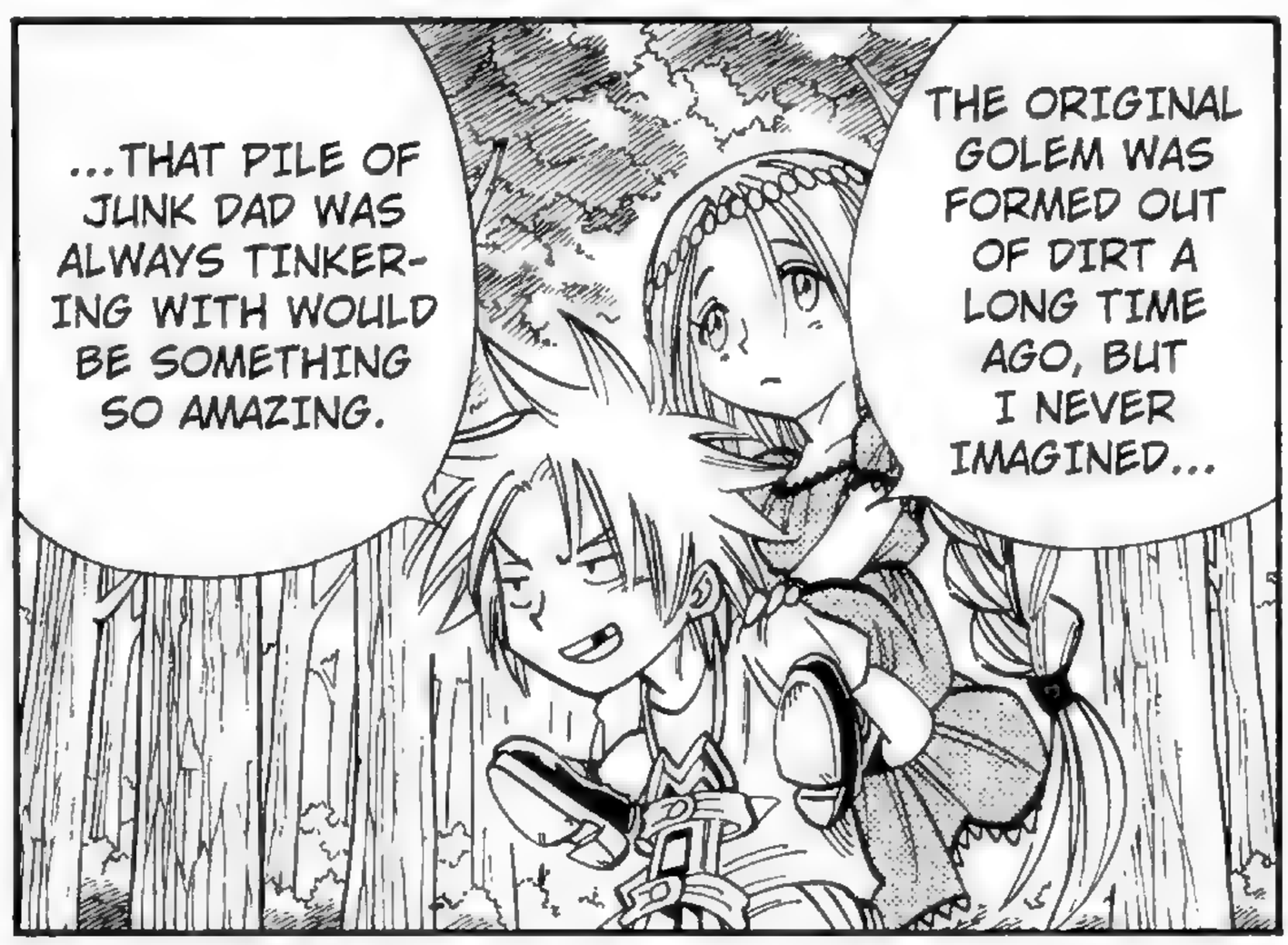
...OUR FATHER LEFT US.
IT'S THE ONLY THING...

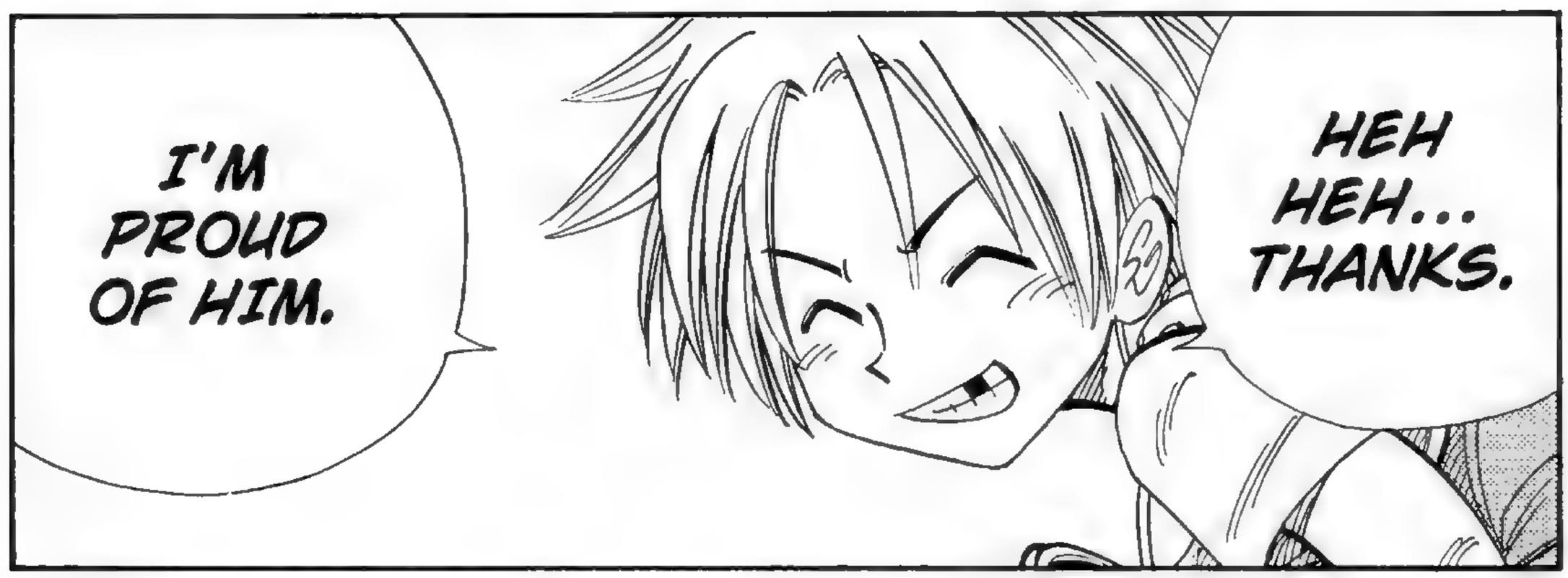
MICKEY WAS SURPRISED, TOO. I GUESS THEY'RE FAMOUS.
YOU'VE HEARD OF THEM?

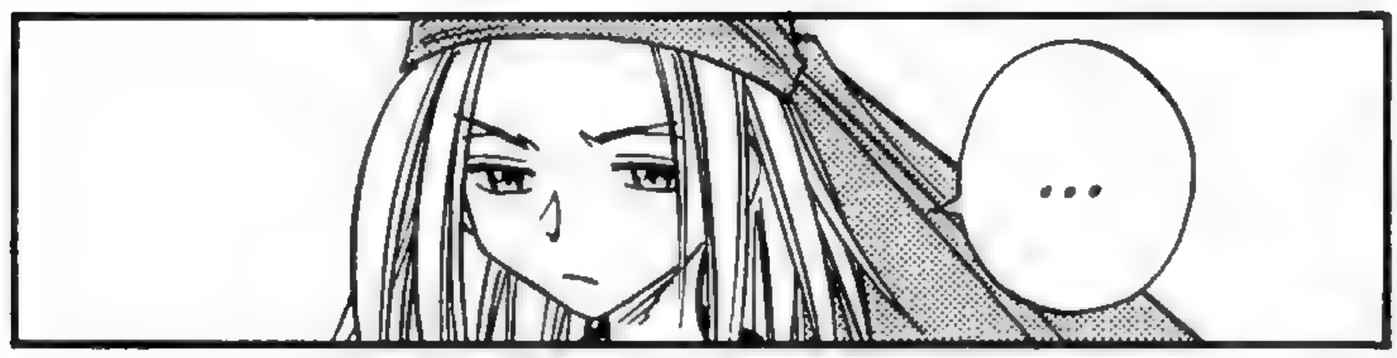

NO WAY...
A GOLEM?


I DON'T KNOW HOW IT WORKS, BUT WE'VE MANAGED TO GET THIS FAR WITH IT.
IT DOESN'T TALK, BUT IT KNOWS EVERY-THING AND IT'S REALLY STRONG.
WELL, THIS ONE IS PRETTY AWESOME.

...THEN YOUR DAD WAS A GENIUS.
IF THAT'S A REAL GOLEM...


...THAT PILE OF JUNK DAD WAS ALWAYS TINKER-ING WITH WOULD BE SOMETHING SO AMAZING.
THE ORIGINAL GOLEM WAS FORMED OUT OF DIRT A LONG TIME AGO, BUT I NEVER IMAGINED...


I'M PROUD OF HIM.
HEH HEH... THANKS.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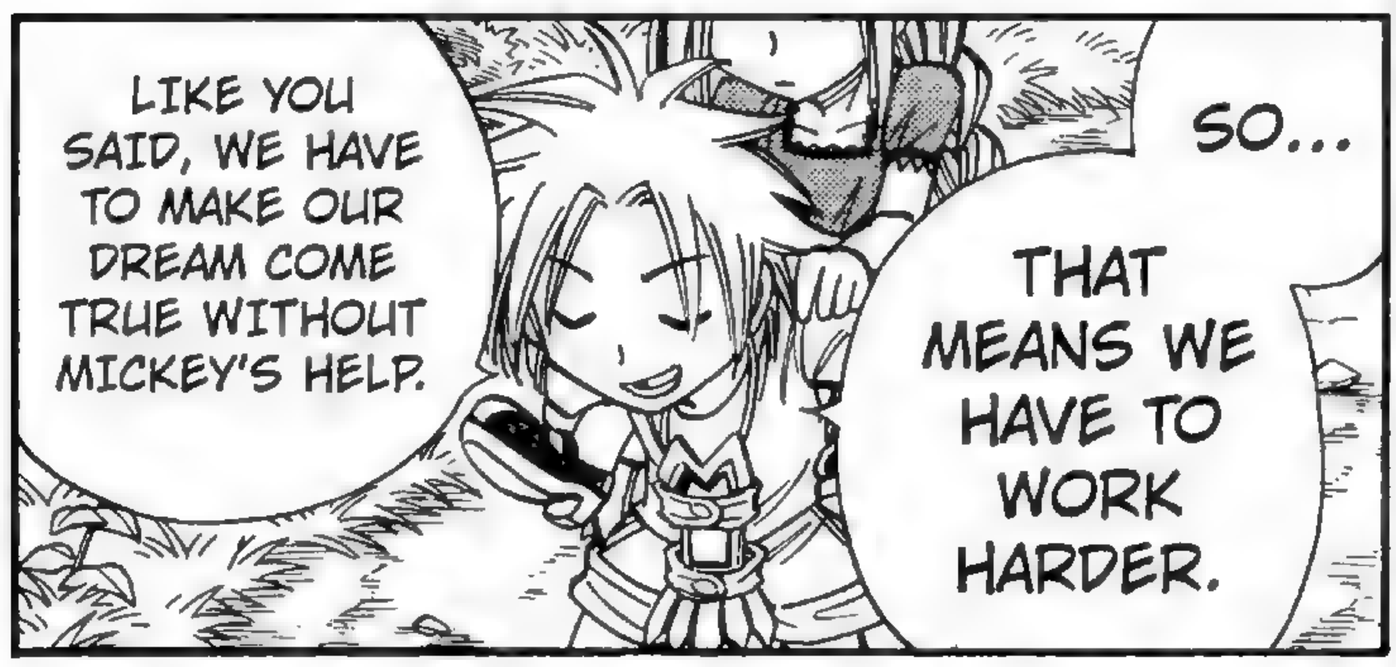
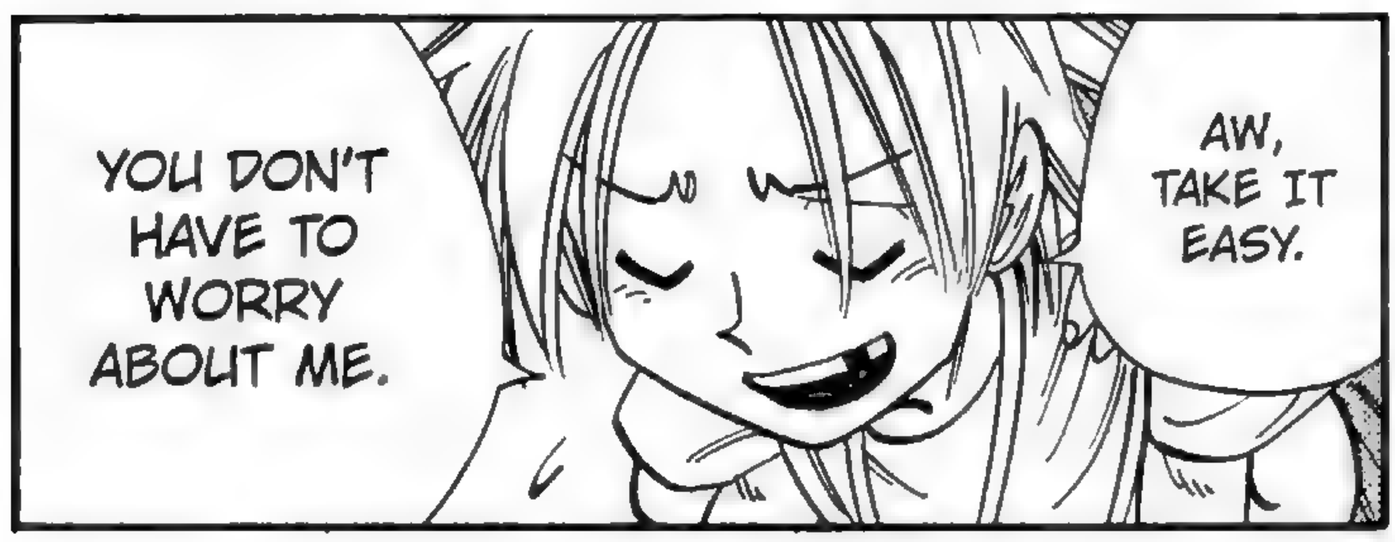
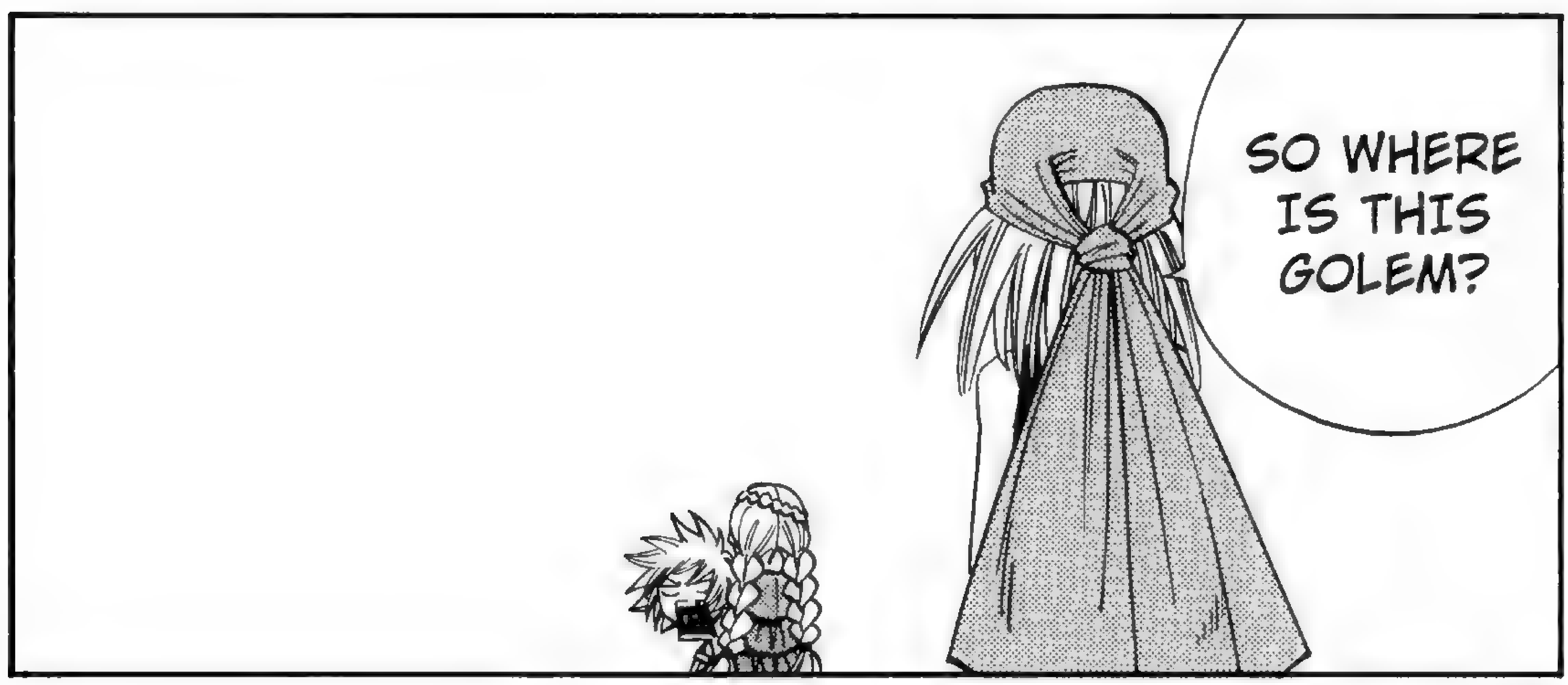

LIKE YOU SAID, WE HAVE TO MAKE OUR DREAM COME TRUE WITHOUT MICKEY'S HELP.
SO...
THAT MEANS WE HAVE TO WORK HARDER.

KID...


YOU DON'T HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT ME.
AW, TAKE IT EASY.

WHICH MAKES ME...
...HATE HIS MURDERER ALL THE MORE.


SO WHERE IS THIS GOLEM?

AAH!! WHAT WERE YOU THINKING?!

OH, NO! I WAS SO BUSY WORRYING ABOUT SALERM THAT I FORGOT ALL ABOUT IT!!

DO YOU REALIZE HOW LAME I'D LOOK IF I WENT BACK THERE NOW?!

YOU HAVE TO GO BACK AND GET IT?! BUT THERE'S NO TIME!!

GEEZ!!

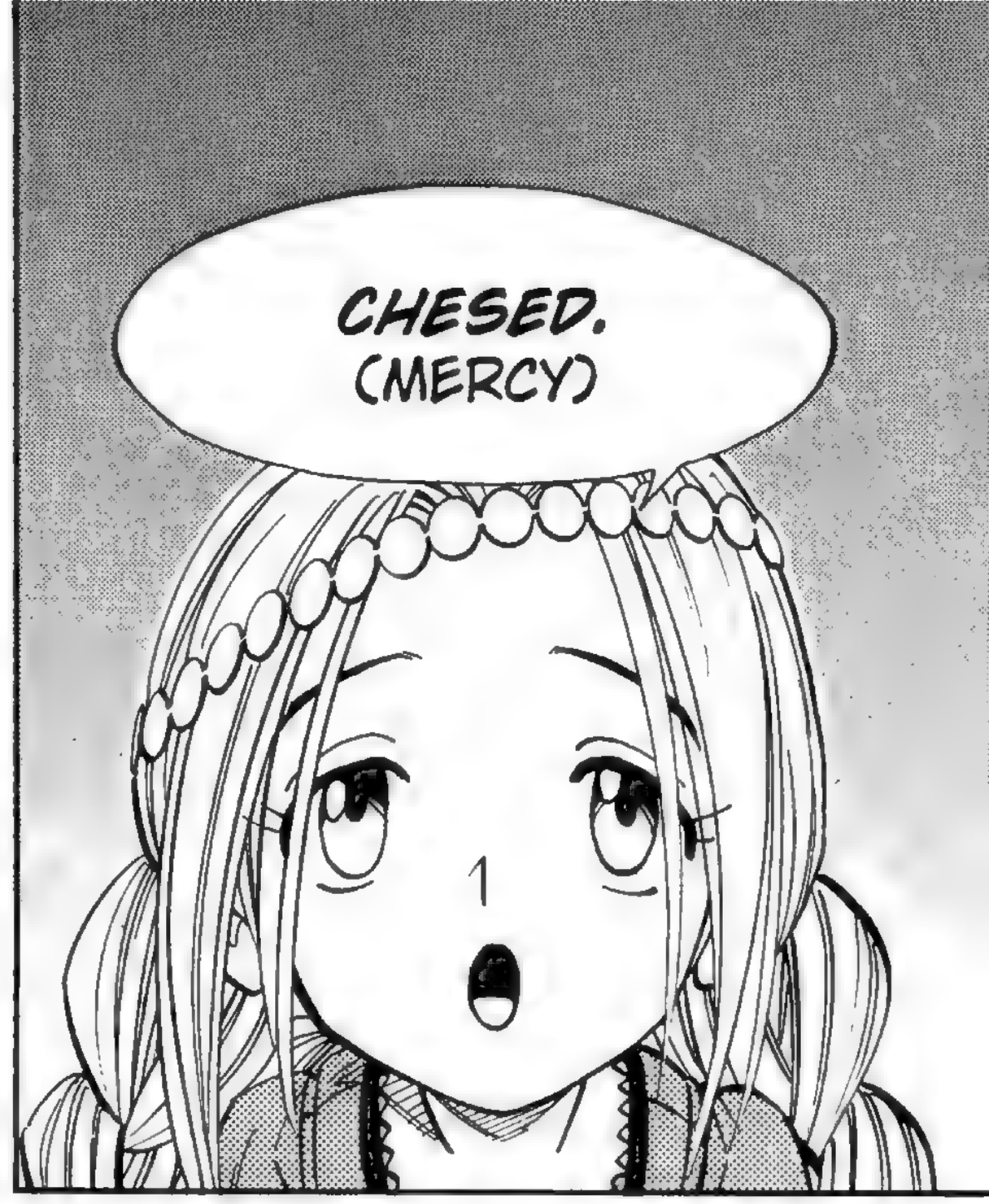
CHINK

FWUMP

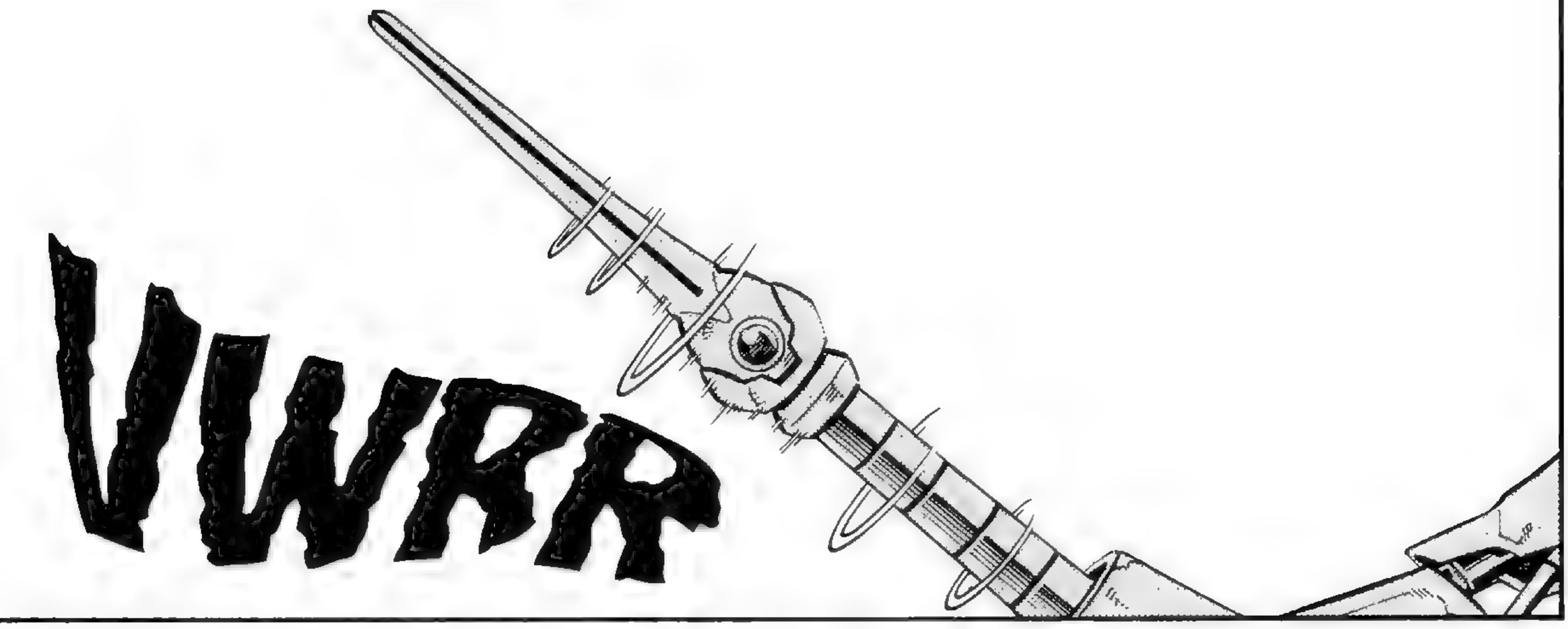
COME TO ME...

WHOA!!
...
SHIKIGAMI
!!
HANG ON TIGHT OR YOU'LL BE SHAKEN OFF!!
GET READY TO TRAVEL AT SUPER SPEED!!

BINAH.
(UNDERSTANDING)
YESOD.
(FOUNDATION)


CHESED.
(MERCY)

COME HERE, GOLEM.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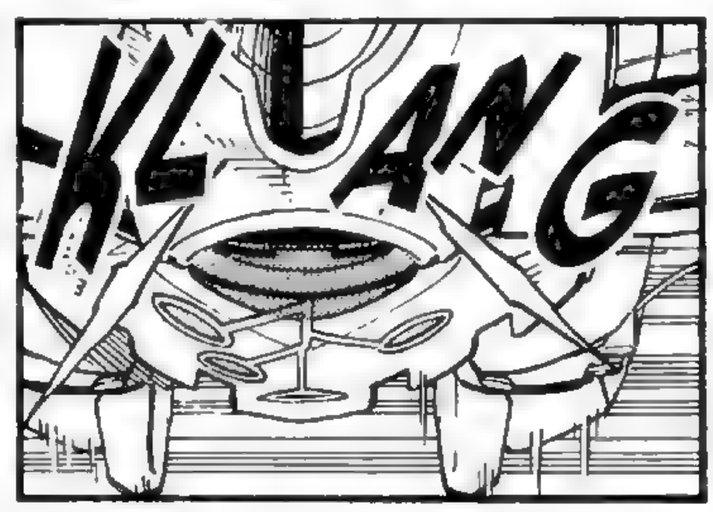
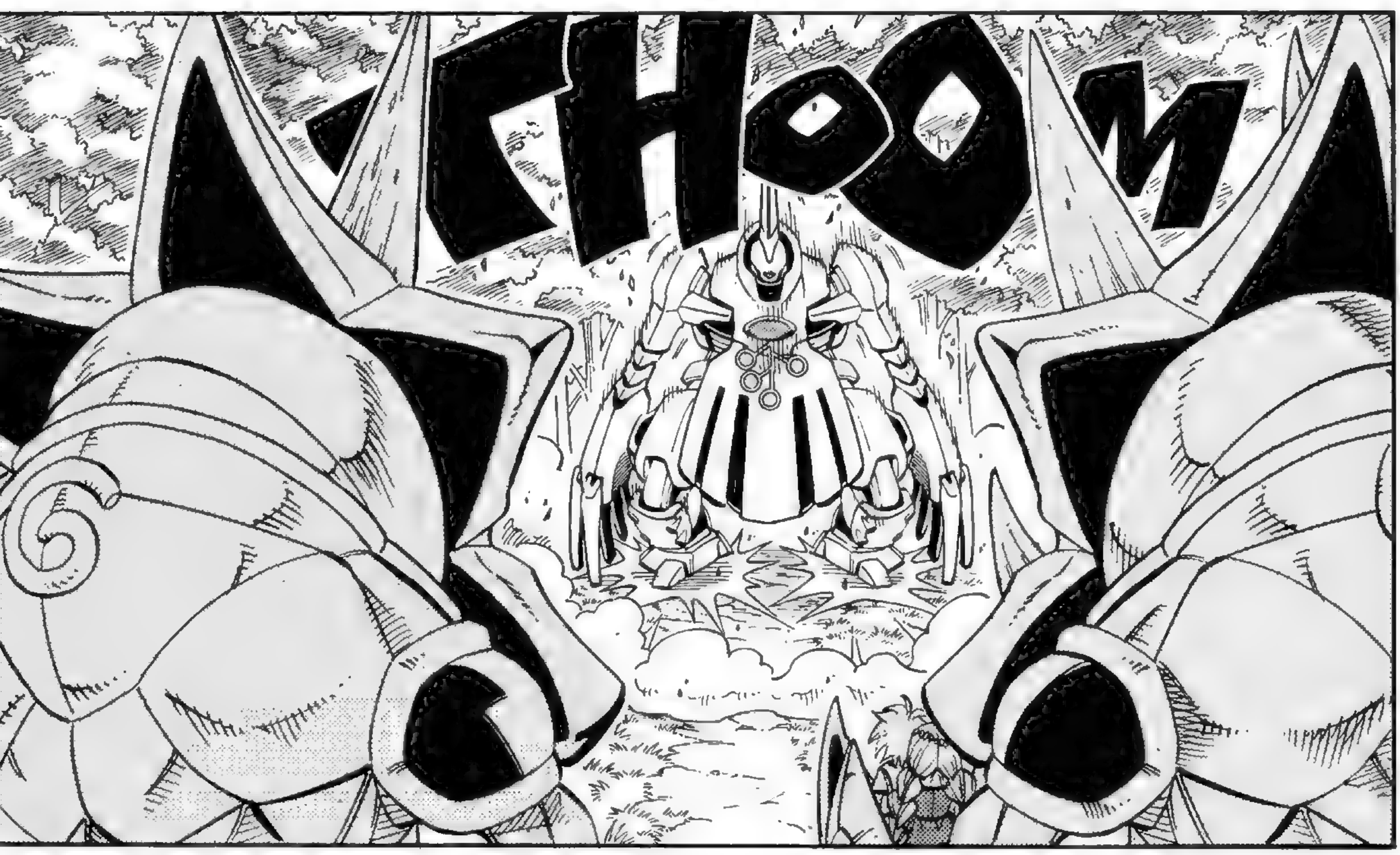
SHUP
CHAK


KLANG

KLAK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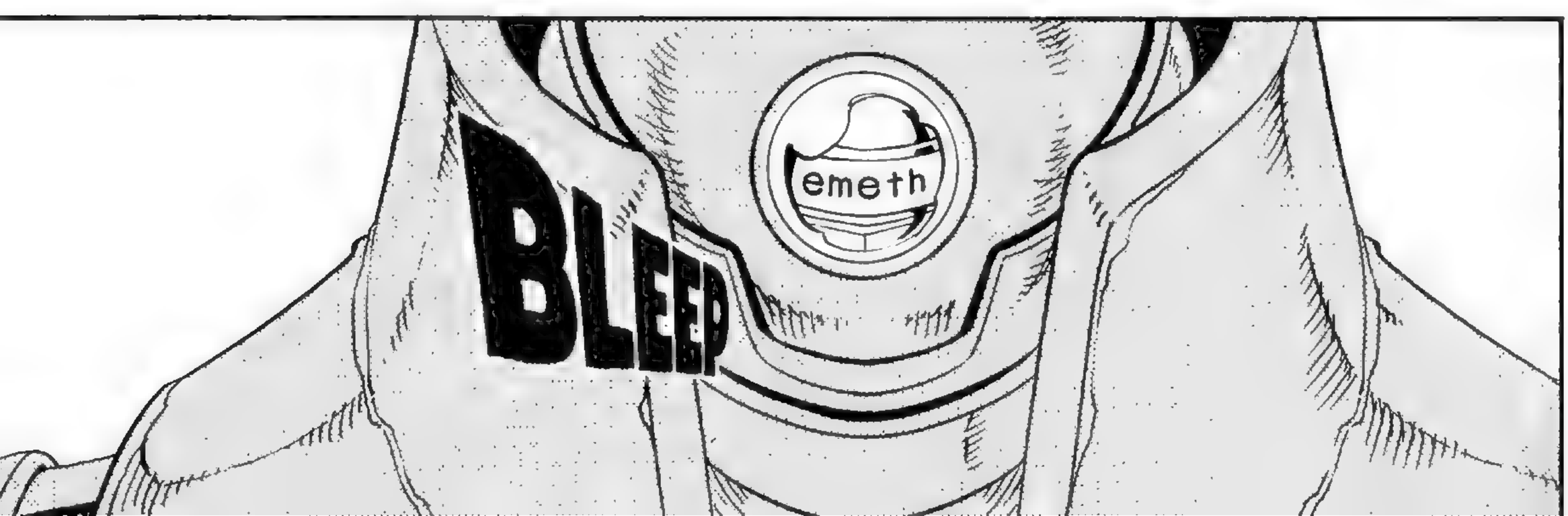
BLEEP
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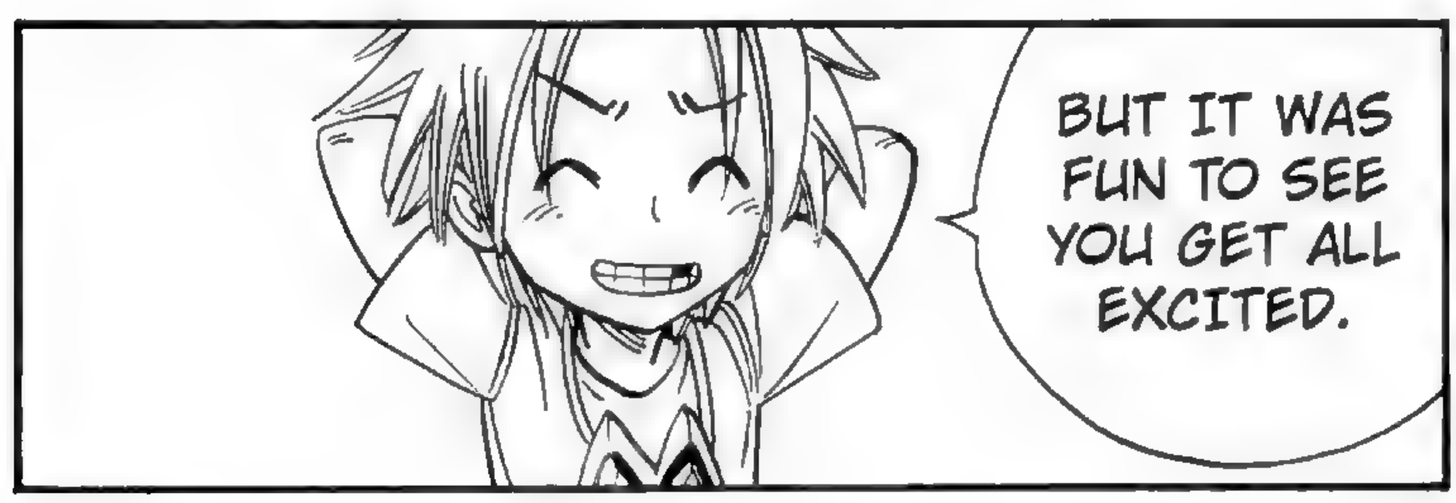
YEAH.

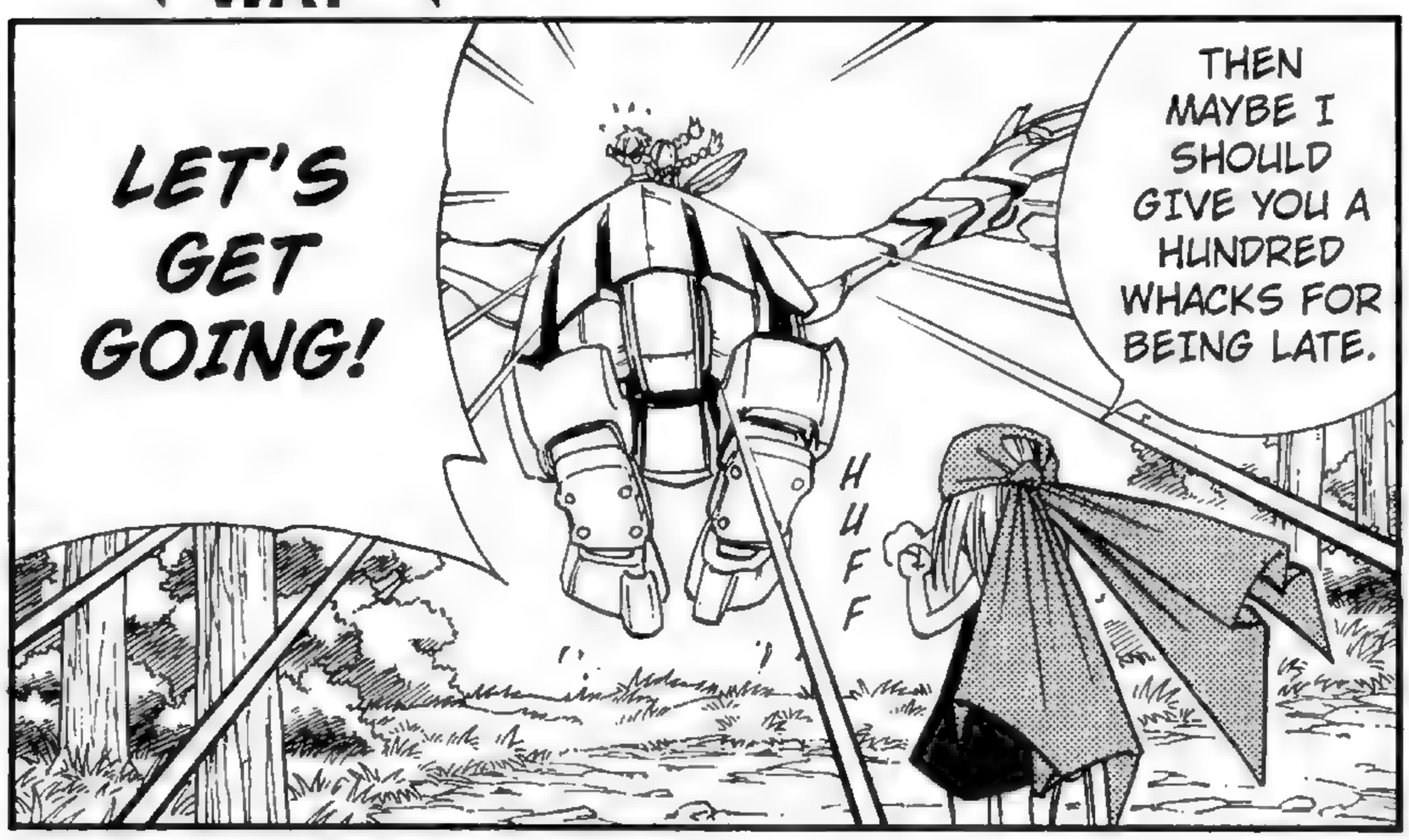
I SAID I FORGOT IT, NOT THAT IT WOULDN'T COME TO US.

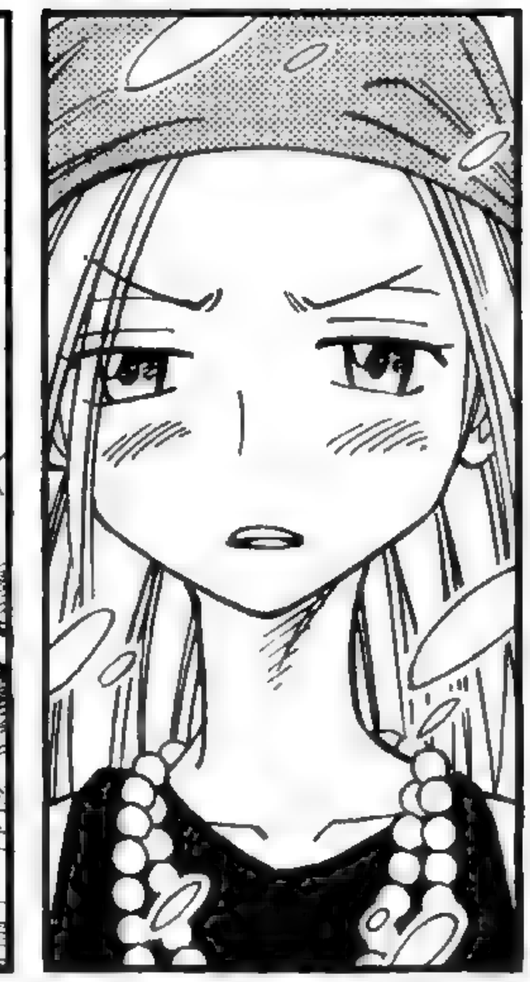
IT COMES TO YOU ?!



...SHE'D BE LIKE THAT EVERY MORNING WHEN SHE SENT US OFF TO SCHOOL.

I BET IF WE HAD A MOM...





...YOU STILL CHOOSE TO GO WITH THEM, EH, MIKIHISA?

KNOWING WHAT YOU KNOW...

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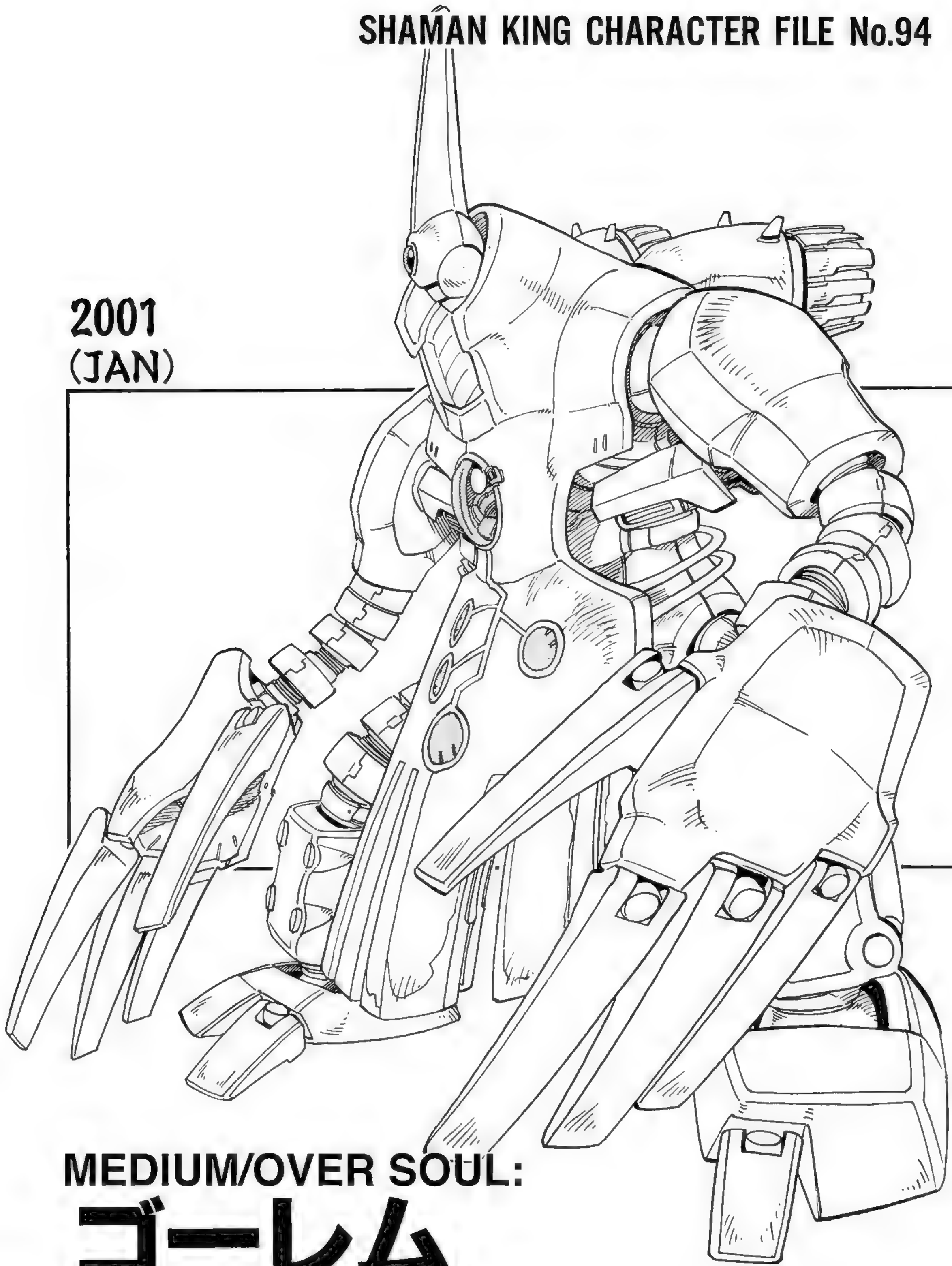
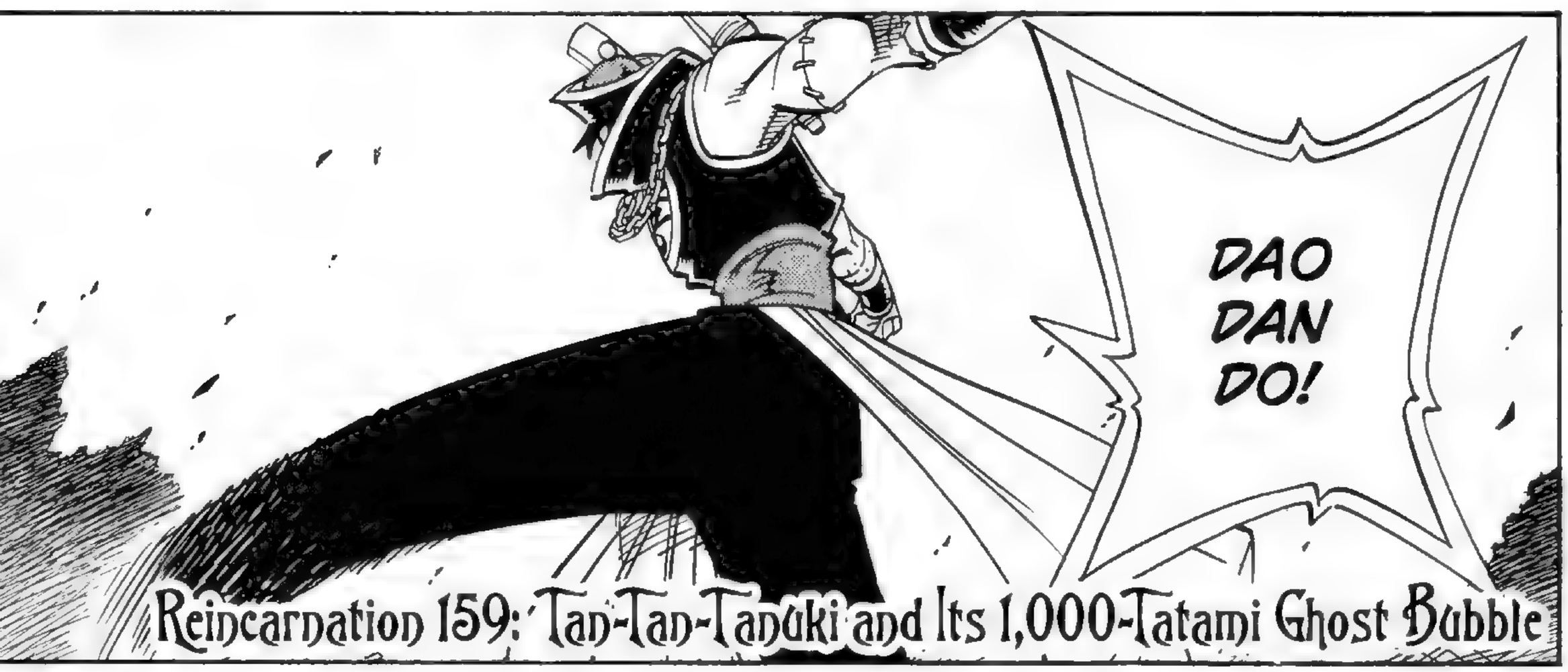
2001
(JAN)



MEDIUM/OVER SOUL:

ゴーレム

GOLEM



Reincarnation 159: Tan-Tan-Tanuki and Its 1,000-Tatami Ghost Bubble

LOVE STRIKE!!
BÀO-ZHOU SHÍ DÂO DÀN JÎAO!!

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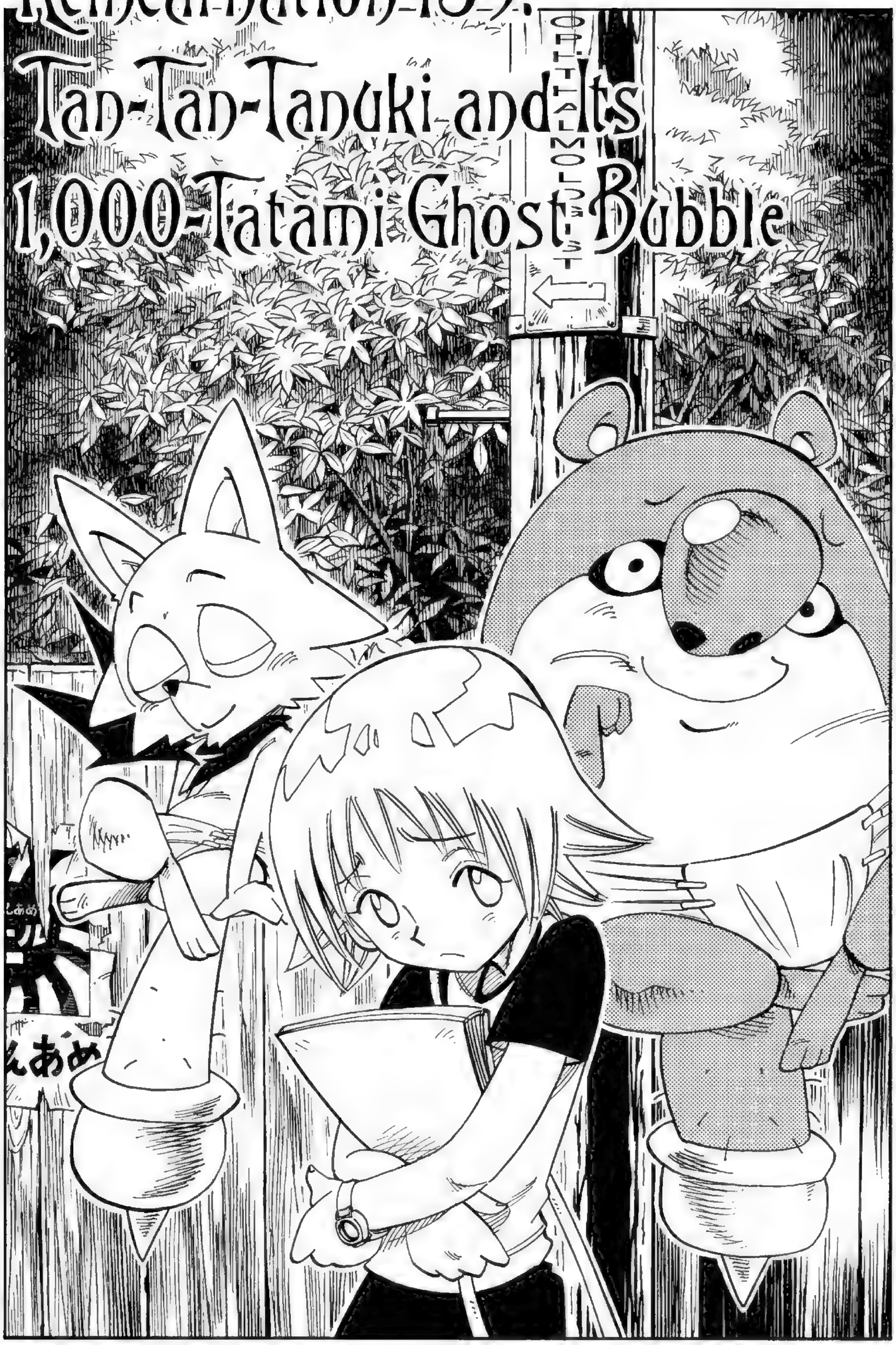


...!!

RRRMMMMB

...WE GOT THEM THIS TIME!

SURELY...

YOU DIDN'T.

NOPE.

HEE HEE...

A PUNY KICK LIKE THAT...

DOM
...CAN'T STOP MY DOLLY.
...!
MAGNUM-CRAFT!!
BLAM BLAM BLAMBLAM

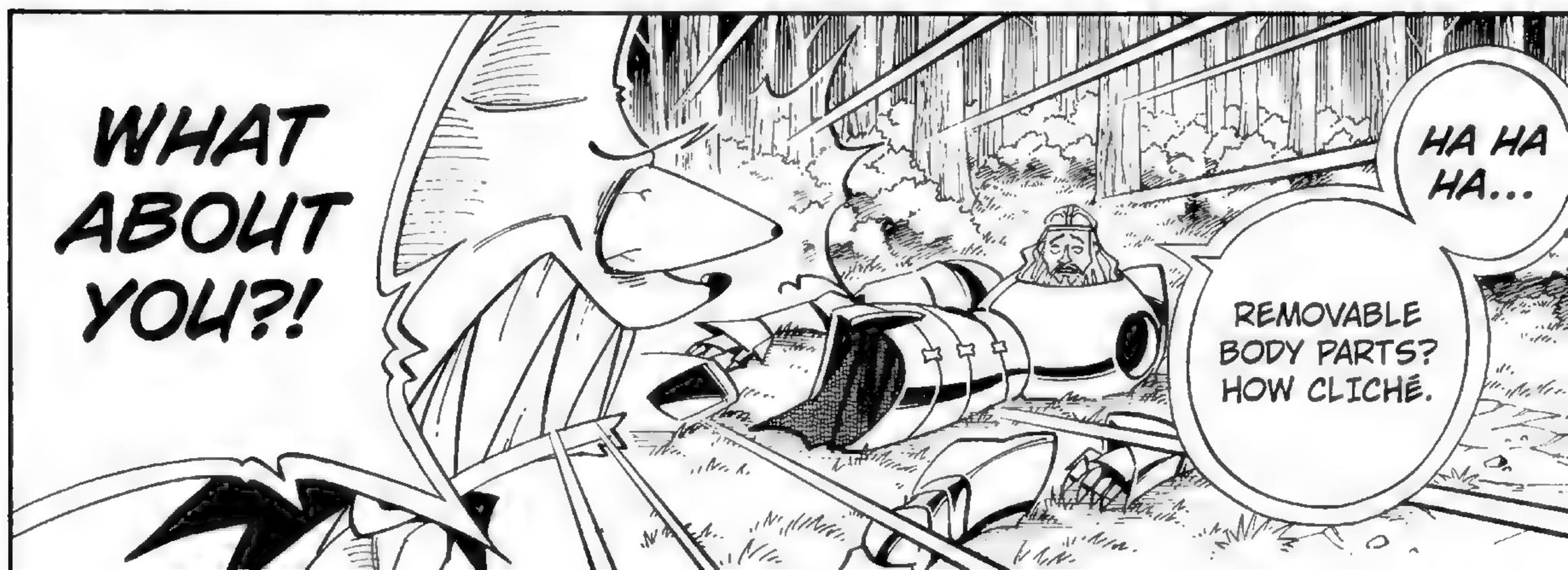
AGH!!

THAT'S INSULTING!

THEY THOUGHT THEY COULD HANDLE US BY THEMSELVES?

SHUK

SERIOUSLY!



ARE YOU CHAL-LENGING ME?

EH?

YOU DARE SPEAK TO ME SO INSOLENTLY?

LOWLY ANIMAL SPIRITS ...

WE'RE HAVING ENOUGH TROUBLE WITH THOSE TWO! WE DON'T NEED ANOTHER ENEMY!

OH, NO!

PONCHI! CONCHI! GET BACK!

GACK!

GWAAH!!

KLANG

I'LL SKEWER YOU!!

SMACK

YOU TAKE CARE OF THE OTHER TWO.

I'LL FIGHT...

...THIS ONE.

YOU'RE GONNA FIGHT HIM?!

WHO, US?

YOU GOT STABBED TO SAVE US?!

BUT NOT EVEN A CORPSE CAN TAKE THAT KIND OF PUNISHMENT FOR LONG.

HEH... THERE'S YOUR CHAMPION OF JUSTICE.

YOU KEEP GETTING INJURED TRYING TO PROTECT YOUR WEAKER FRIENDS.

TMP

BAILONG!

...!!

THAT'S WHAT MAKES YOU GUYS WEAK.

...IN A BATTLE YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO LOSE. WHAT A FOOL.

IT'S FOOLISH TO COMPROMISE YOURSELF...

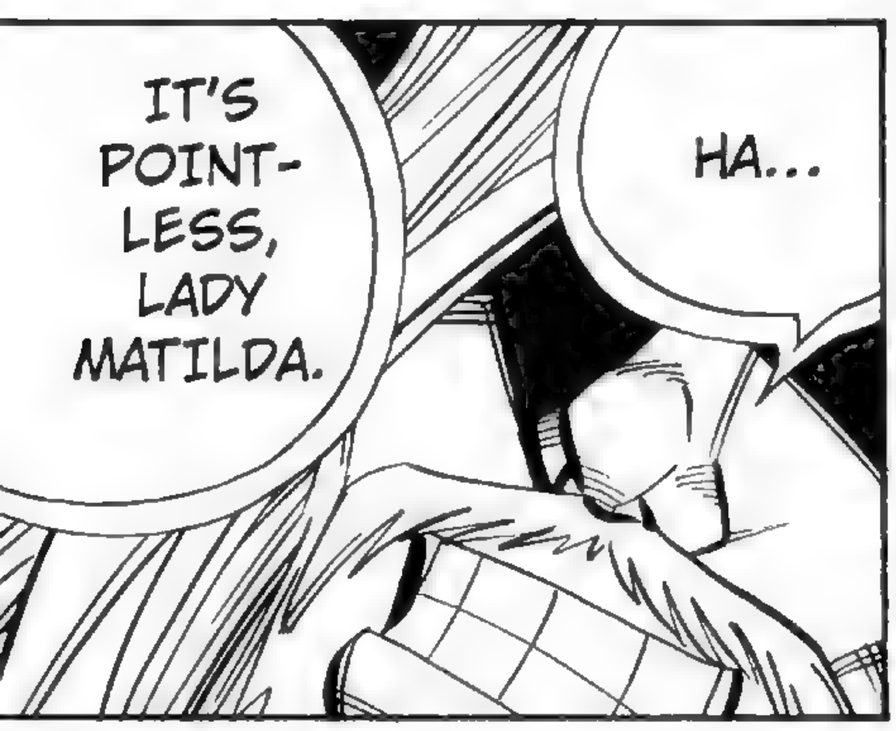
HE WHO ONLY LOOKS OUT FOR HIMSELF WILL SOON FIND HIMSELF ALONE AND WITHERED.

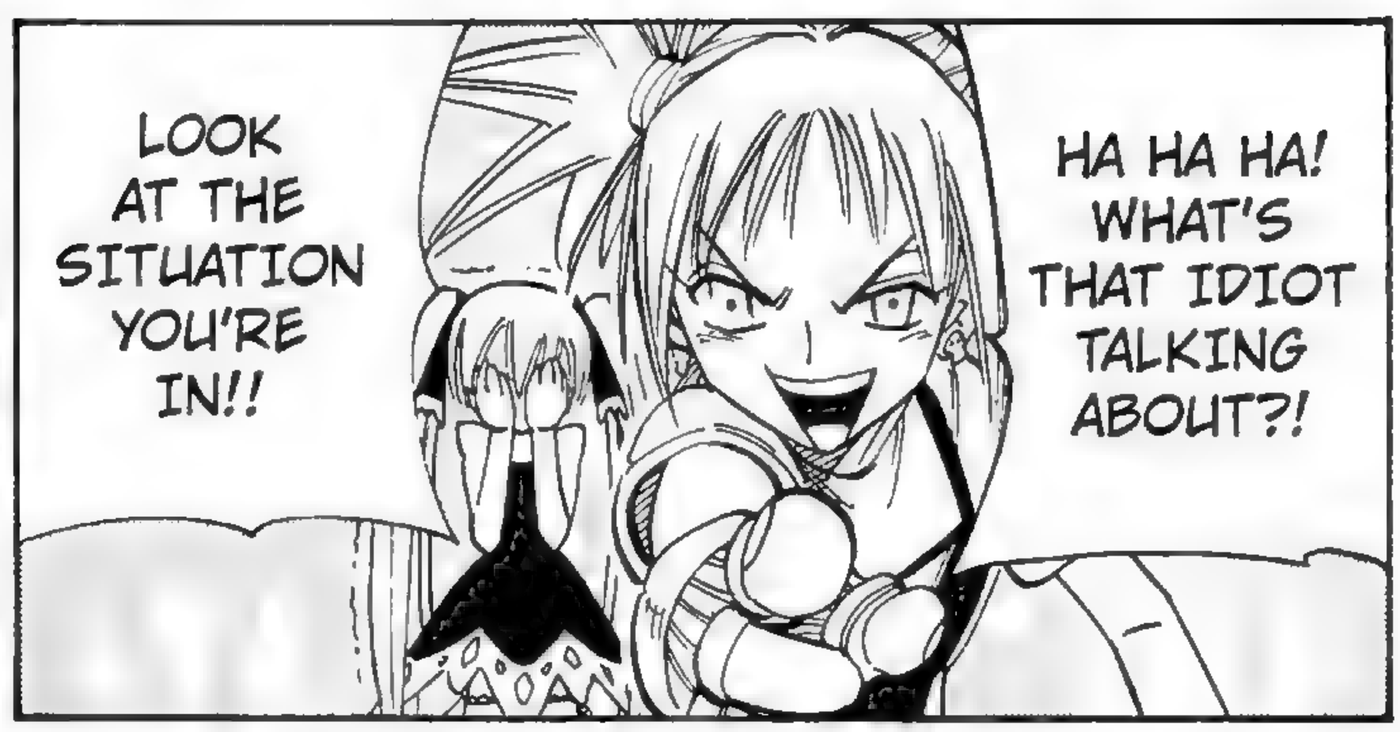
NO MAN IS AN ISLAND.

SHUT UP.

...CAN NEVER ACHIEVE VICTORY!

A FIST WITHOUT A HEART...





I SHALL TEAR HIM TO PIECES !!

HIS BRAIN HAS ROTTED AWAY!

THESE THINGS ARE BEYOND THE LIMITS OF HUMAN ABILITY.

THE KINETIC VISION TO BLOCK AN ARROW WITH A KNIFE...

THE STRENGTH TO BLOCK BAILONG'S KICK WITH A DOLL...

I'LL PULVERIZE YOU UNTIL YOU CAN NO LONGER MOVE!!

YES, BUT NOW I'VE GOT YOU!!

GRAAAH!!

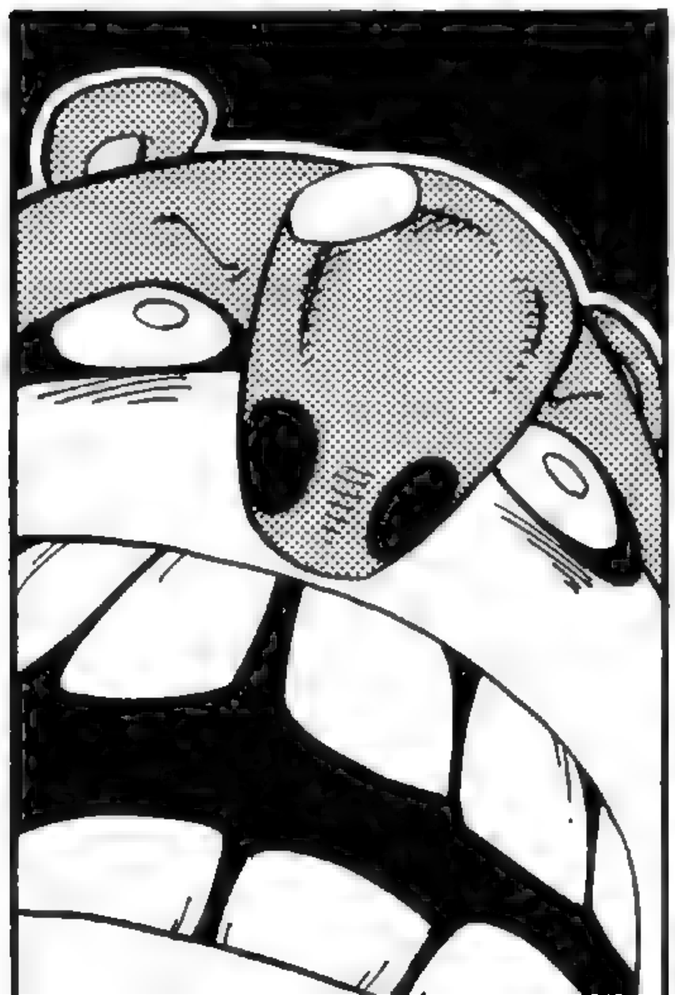
DID HE ALLOW MY LANCE TO PIERCE HIM ON PURPOSE?!

OH!!

BUT SADLY...

...THE WEAK REMAIN WEAK.

SHINAK



AAH...

...THE HECK?!

WHAT...

...WHO I AM. IS THERE A PROBLEM?

I AM...

WATAH!!

SH

UGH!!

...YOU'D LIKE TO KNOW HOW I DID THAT.

I SUPPOSE ...

SMOKE !!

GAH!!

BAILONG!

ONLY A FOOL GIVES AWAY HIS SECRETS !!

HE TICKS ME OFF!!

GRRRR

WHAT'S THAT OLD FART DOING ?!

I KNOW!

TAMAO !!

IT'S A DECOY! THE REAL MEDIUM IS HER CIGARETTE SMOKE!

LIKE ANNA SAID, THE ARMOR ISN'T THE MEDIUM!

I CAN NEVER BE CAPTURED!

HMM... YOU'RE A SWEET CHILD, SO I'LL MAKE AN EXCEPTION FOR YOU.

INDEED, THE SMOKE IS MY MEDIUM...

HERE I COME!!

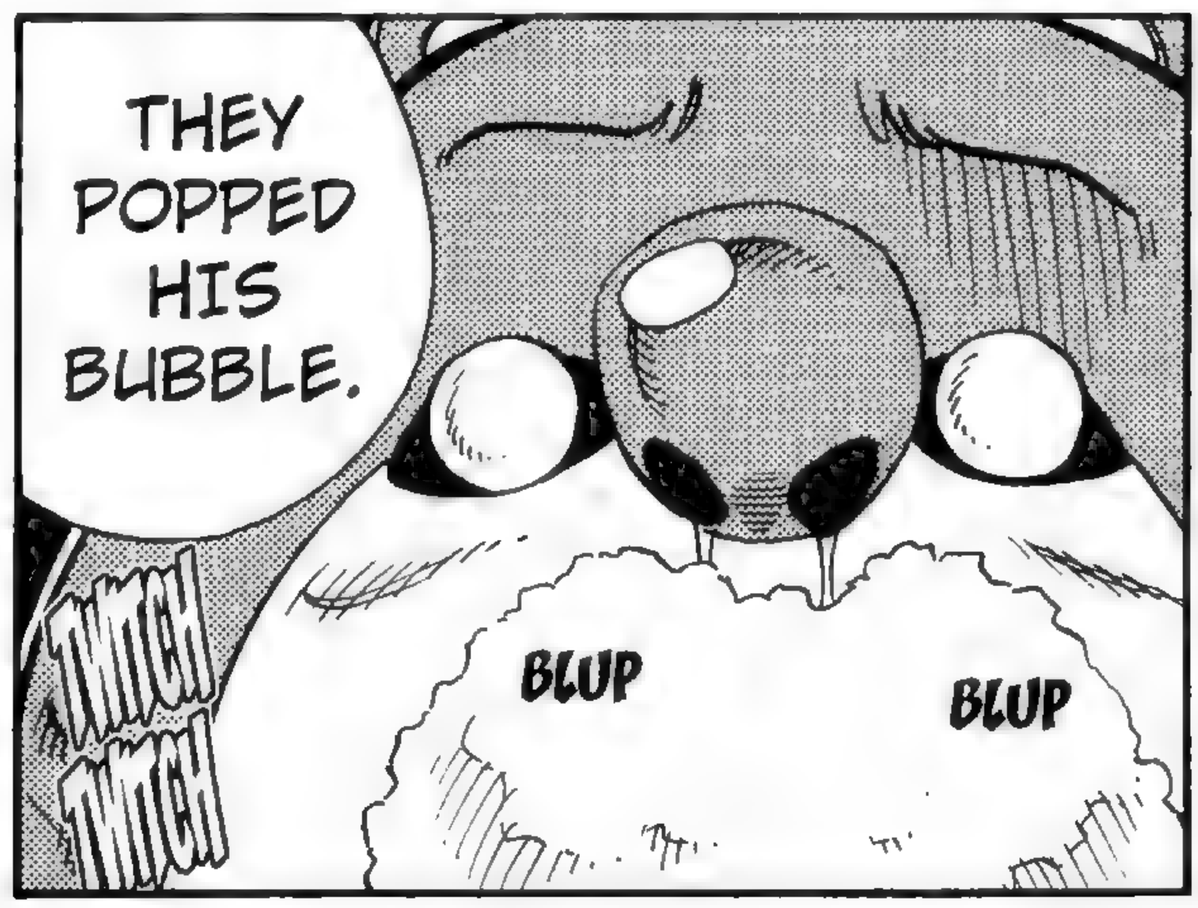
PONCHI!!

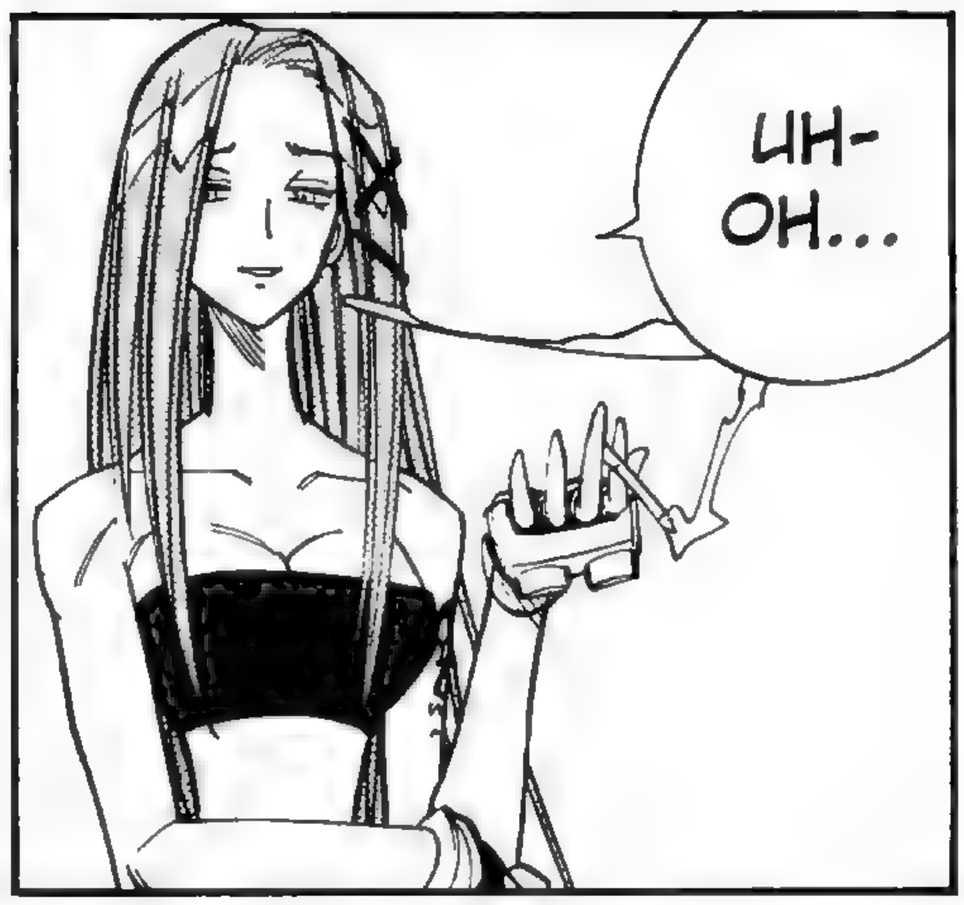
OVER SOUL: KOKKURI ANGEL!! TAN-TAN-TANUKI AND ITS 1,000-TATAMI GHOST BUBBLE!!

I'LL TRAP YOU IN MY GHOST BUBBLE!!

HEEP

BLAAA AM


THEY POPPED HIS BUBBLE.
TWITCH TWITCH
BLUP
BLUP


UH-OH...

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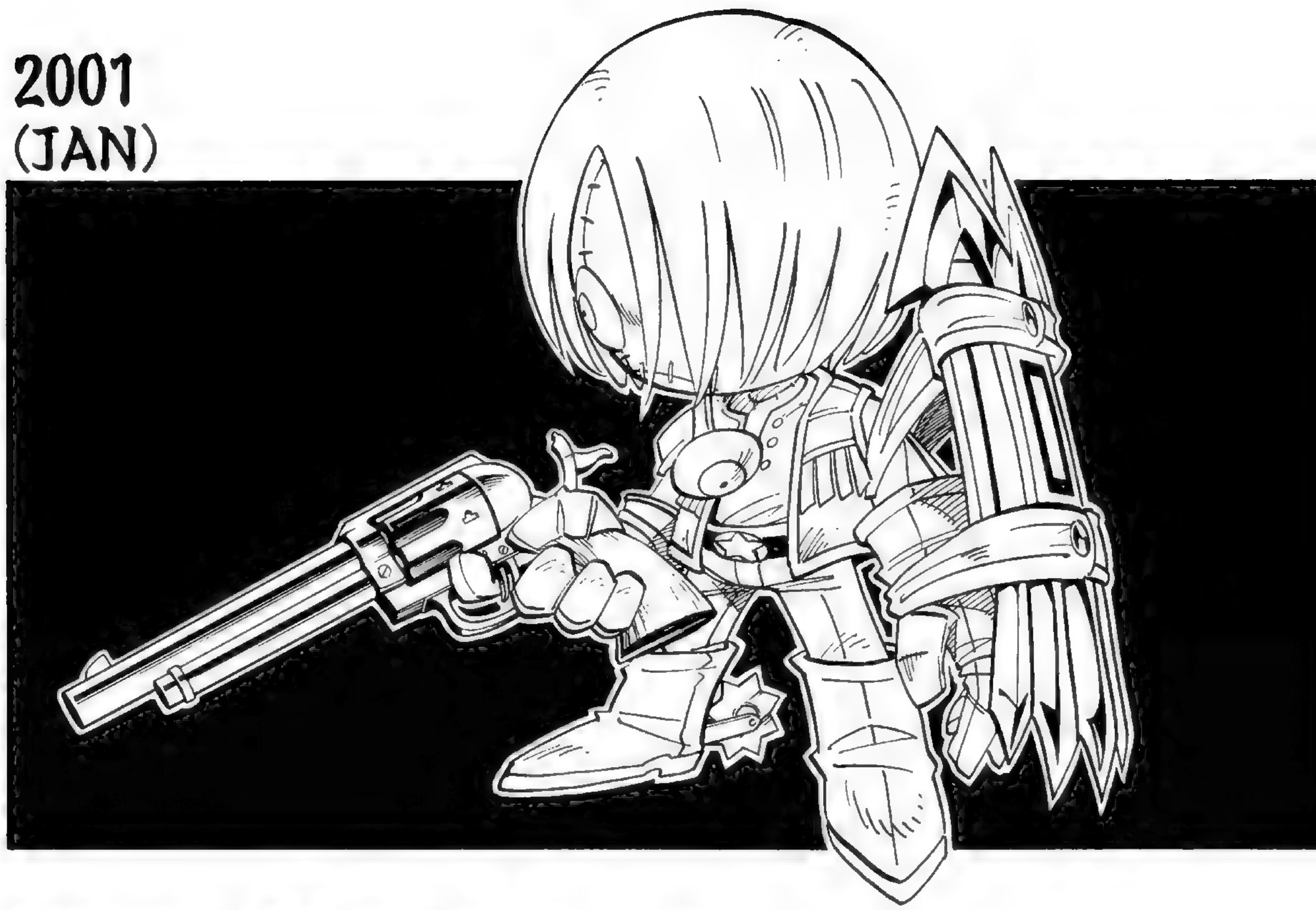
(JAN)



MEDIUM/OVER SOUL:

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CHUCK

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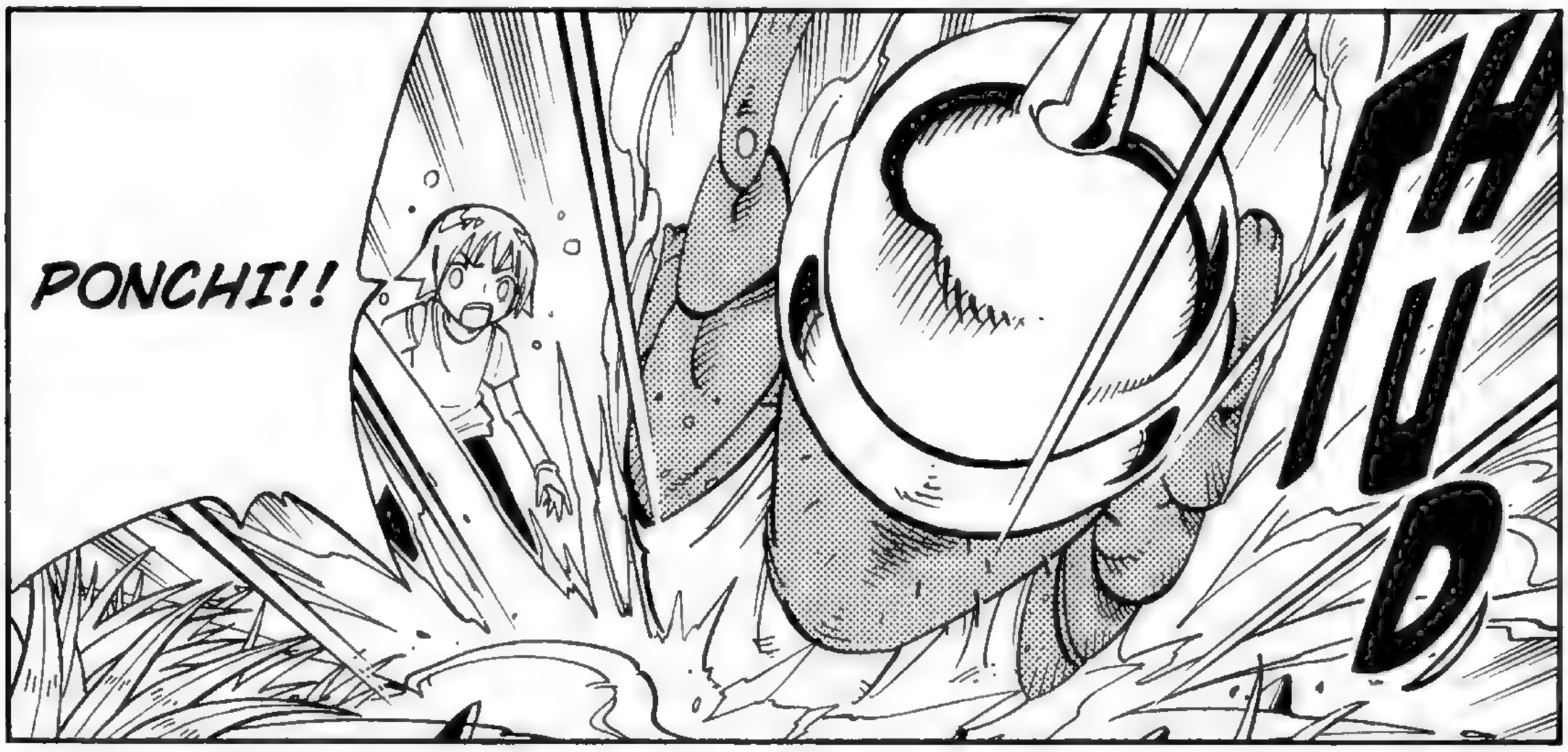
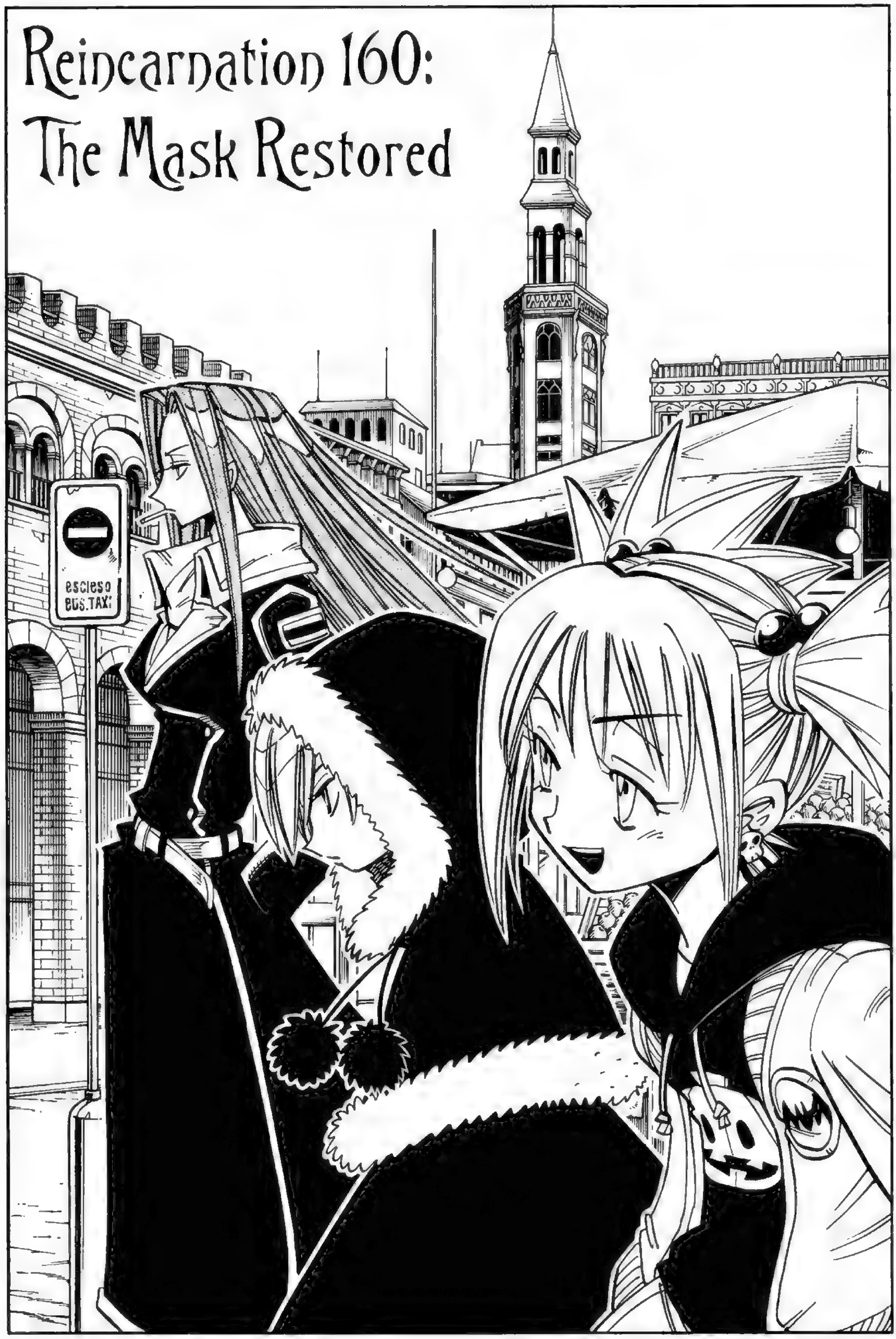
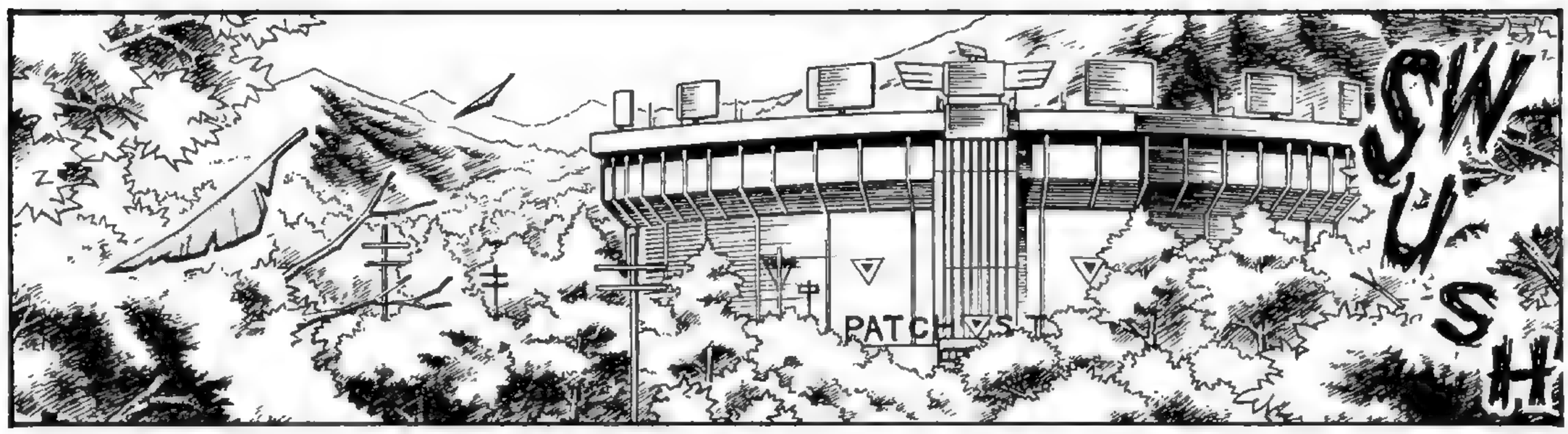


...SCREAM YOUR HEAD OFF.

ALL YOU CAN DO IS...

Reincarnation 160: The Mask Restored

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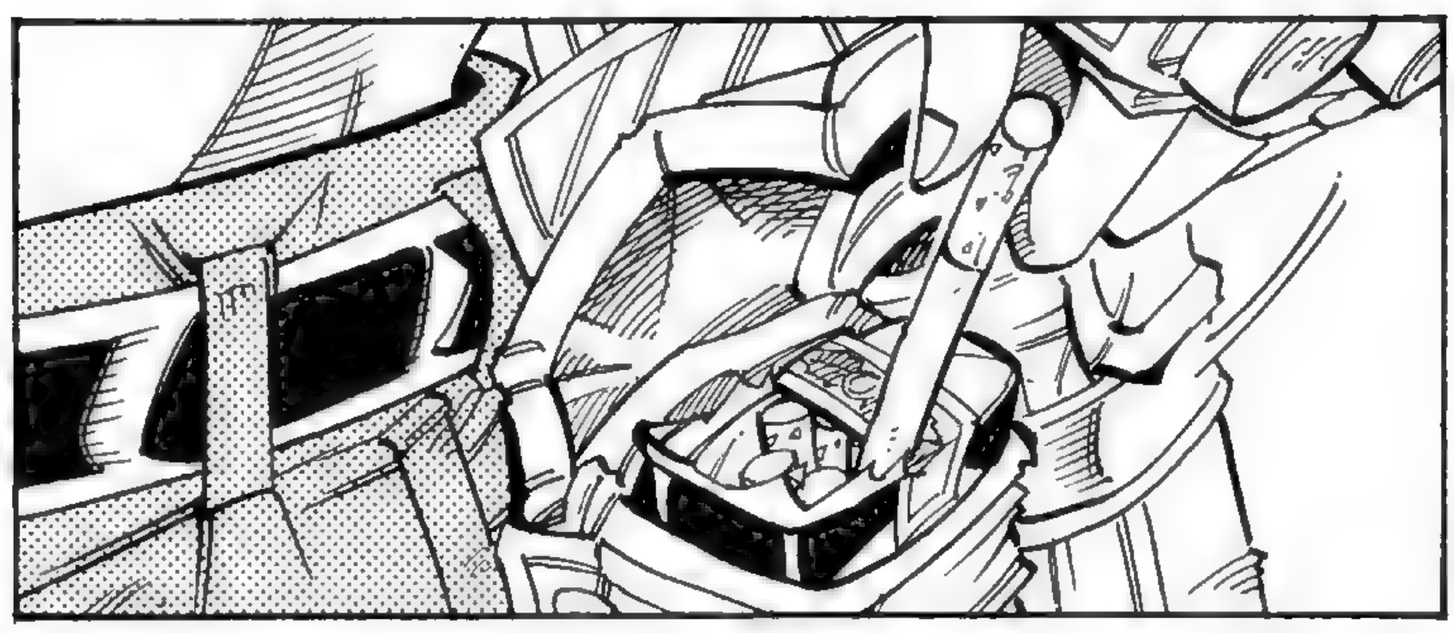

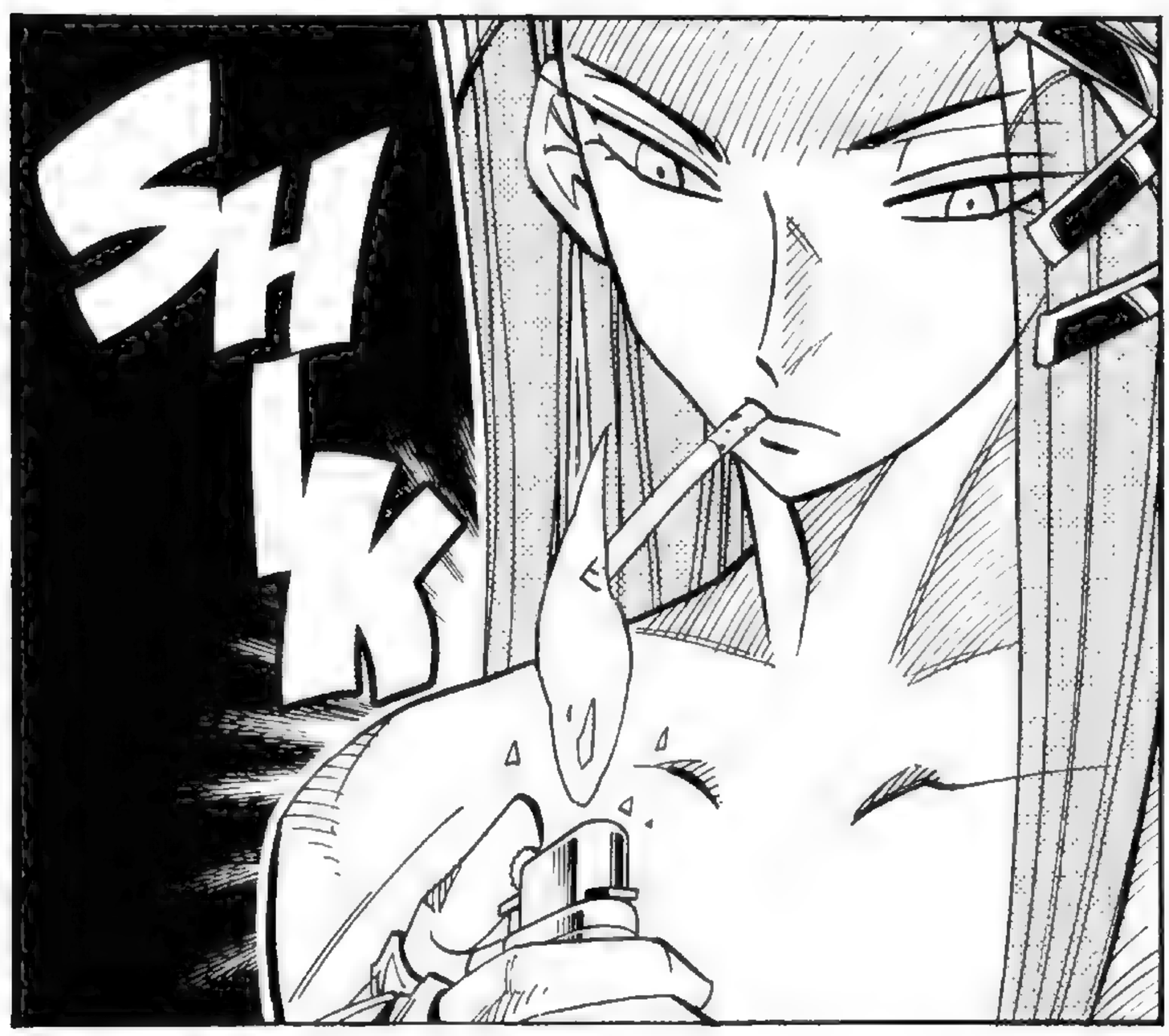
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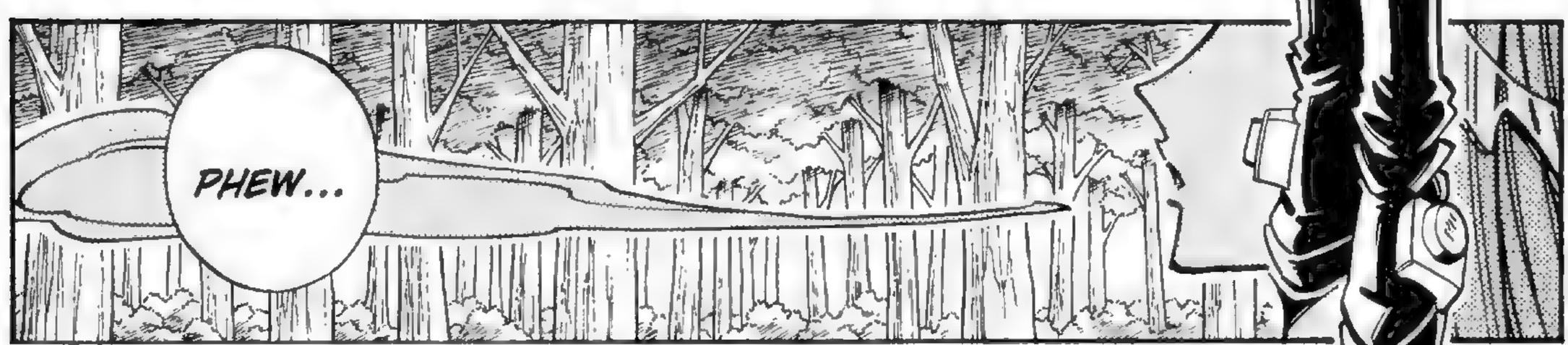
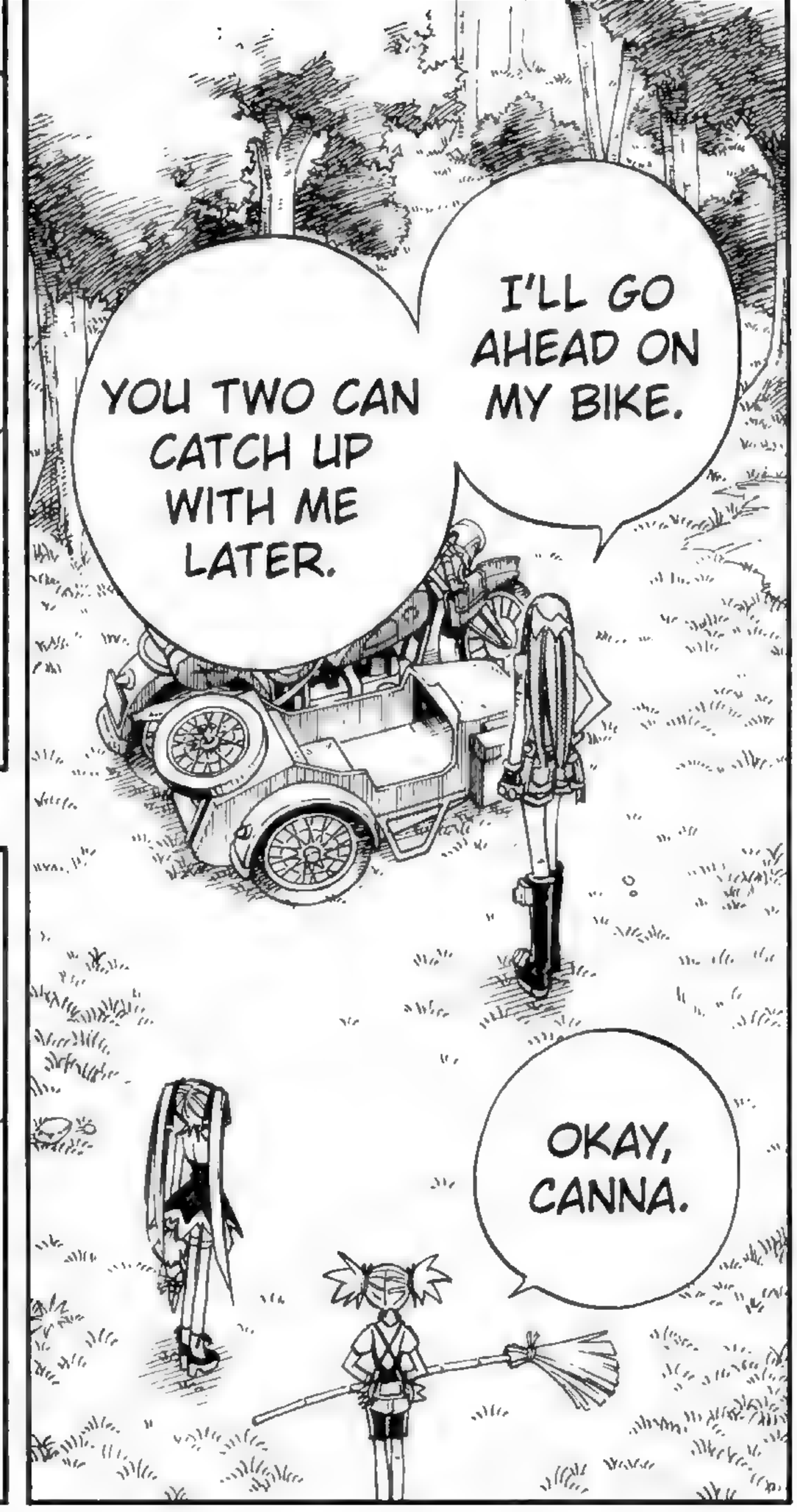
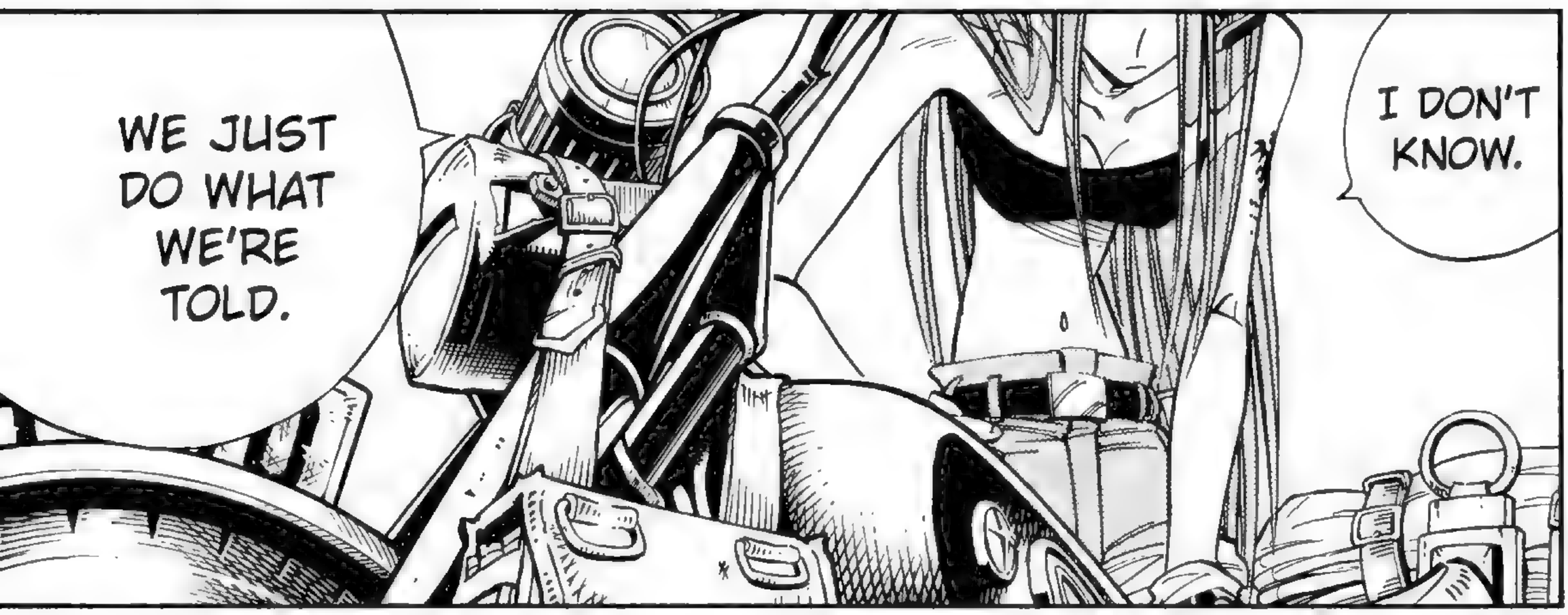

PHEW...

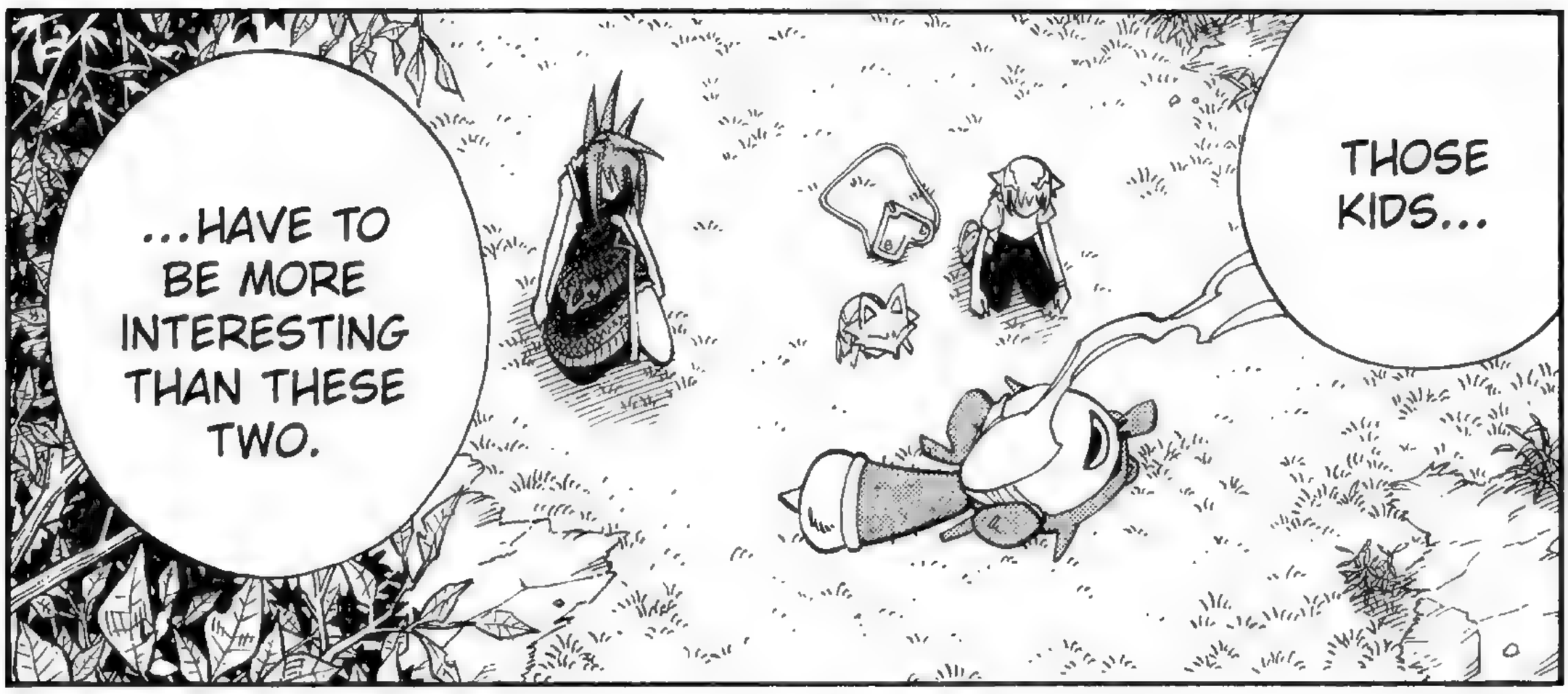
THEY WON'T GET AWAY FROM ME!
IT'S OUR JOB TO HUNT THE SOULS OF THOSE KIDS.


YOU TWO CAN CATCH UP WITH ME LATER.
I'LL GO AHEAD ON MY BIKE.
OKAY, CANNA.

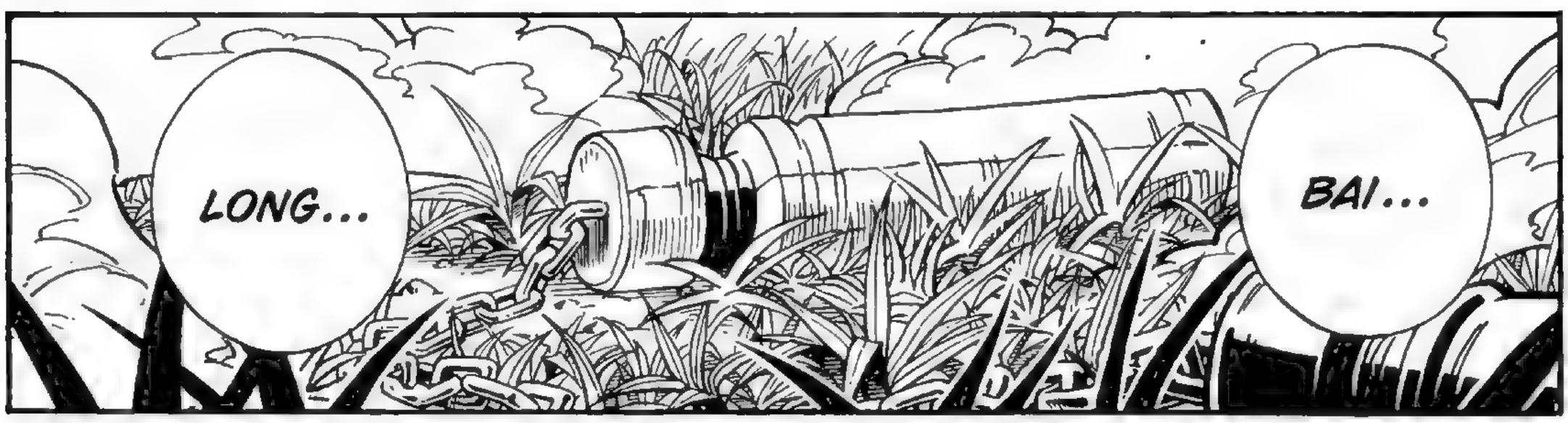
ARE THEY REALLY THAT IMPOR-TANT?
I HATE WALKING...

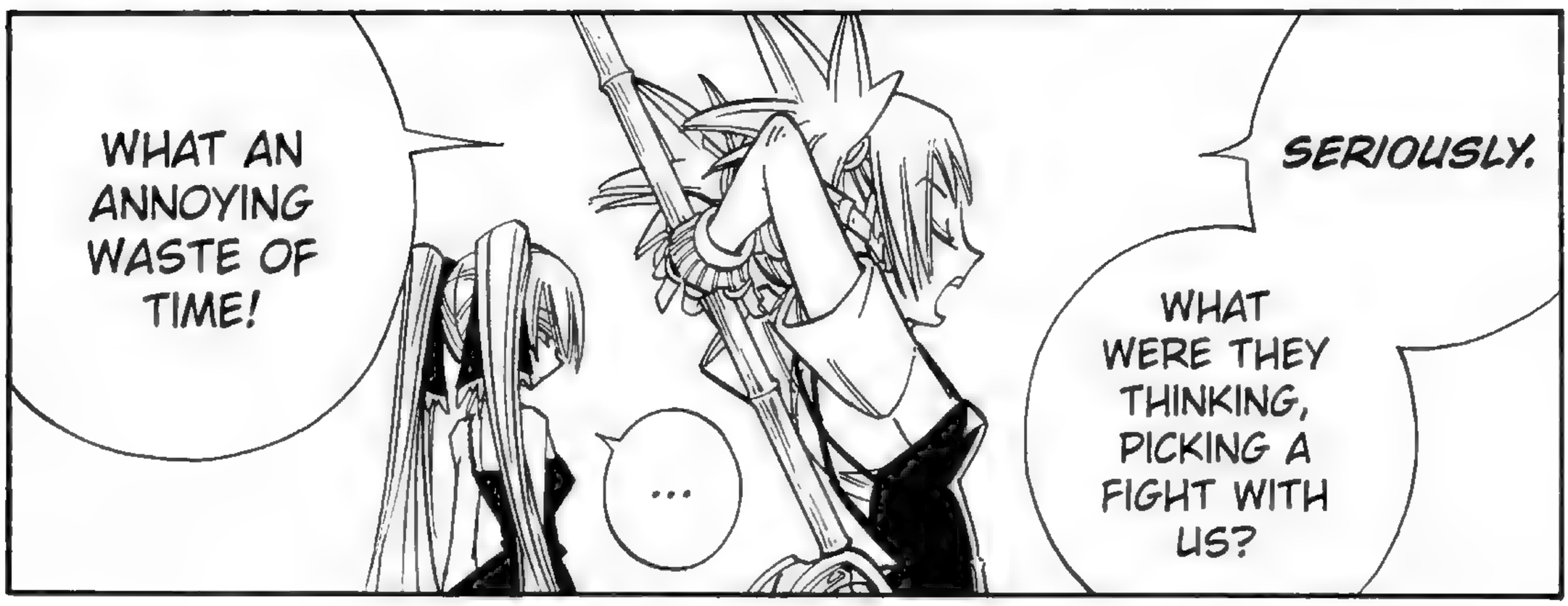

WE JUST DO WHAT WE'RE TOLD.
I DON'T KNOW.

BESIDES...
BUT I WOULD ENJOY PRYING SOME INFORMATION OUT OF THAT SMART-ALECK GIRL.

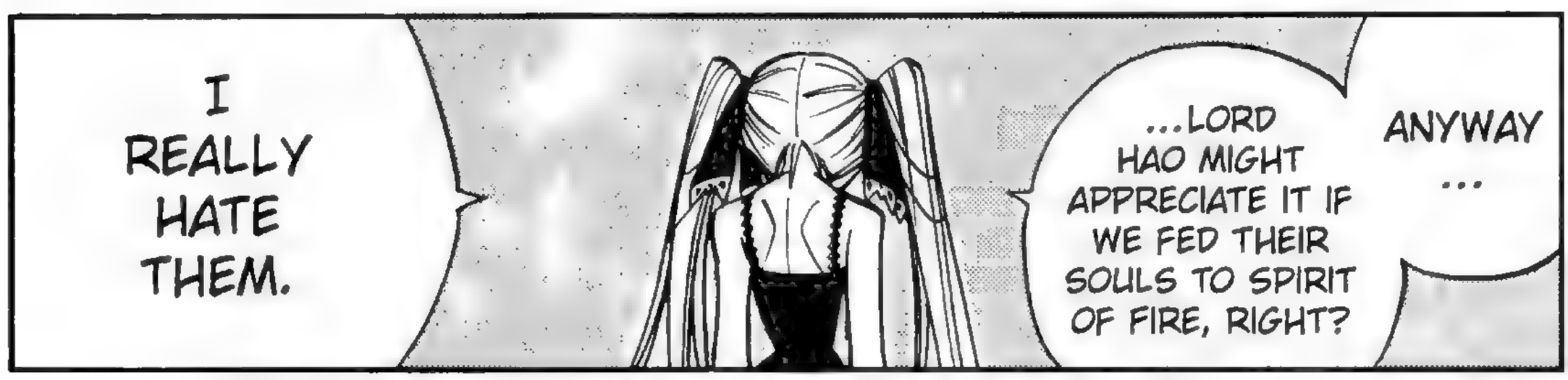

...HAVE TO BE MORE INTERESTING THAN THESE TWO.
THOSE KIDS...

PONCHI...
...


LONG...
BAI...

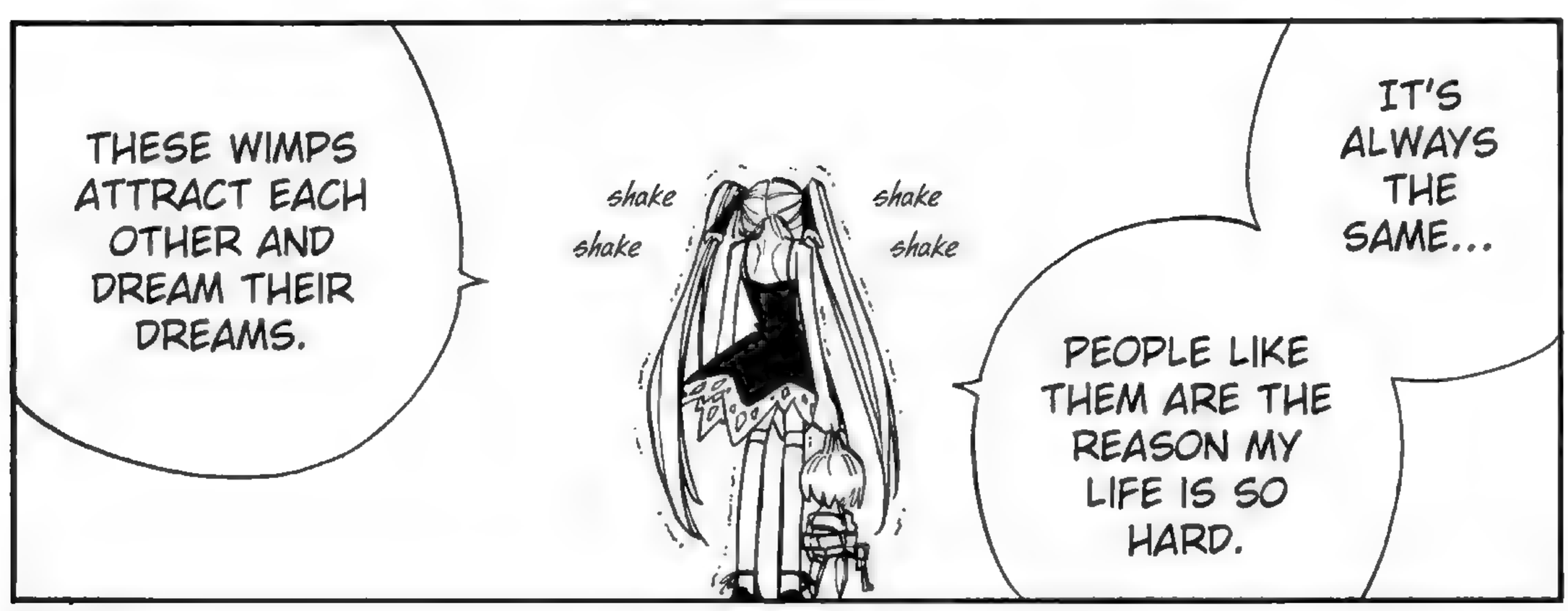

WHAT AN ANNOYING WASTE OF TIME!
...
SERIOUSLY.
WHAT WERE THEY THINKING, PICKING A FIGHT WITH US?

I WANT TO KILL THEM.
I FEEL LIKE...


I REALLY HATE THEM.
...LORD HAO MIGHT APPRECIATE IT IF WE FED THEIR SOULS TO SPIRIT OF FIRE, RIGHT?
ANYWAY ...

HERE WE GO AGAIN.
OH, BOY...

UM...
MARIE?


THESE WIMPS ATTRACT EACH OTHER AND DREAM THEIR DREAMS.
shake shake
shake shake
IT'S ALWAYS THE SAME...
PEOPLE LIKE THEM ARE THE REASON MY LIFE IS SO HARD.

I HATE CLINGY, SLIMY PEOPLE.

I KEEP TELLING THEM TO KEEP THEIR GREASY HANDS OFF MY VIDEO GAMES AFTER THEY EAT POTATO CHIPS!!

CHIK

CHAK

THAT'S WHY WE'RE HERE.

MARIE AND I ARE TOTALLY DEVOTED TO LORD HAO.

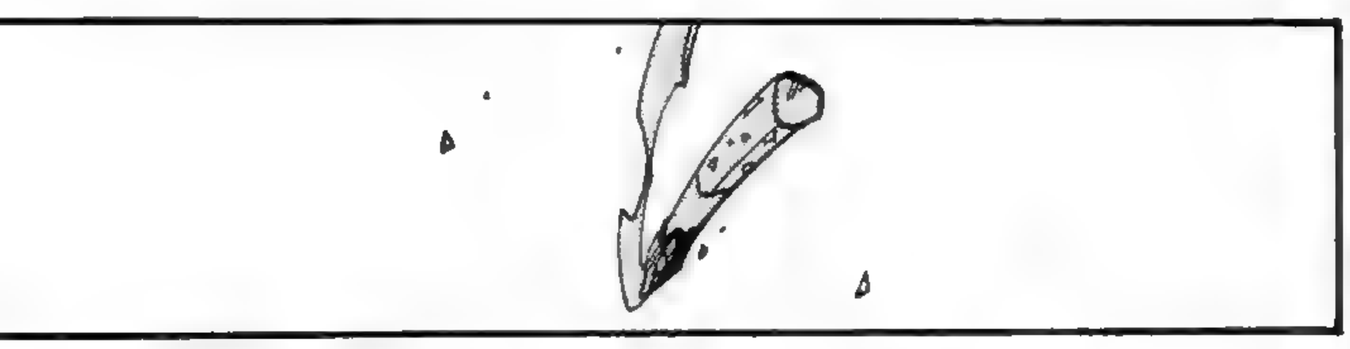
OH, WELL...

IT CAN'T BE HELPED.

!

WHAT ?!

HUHR

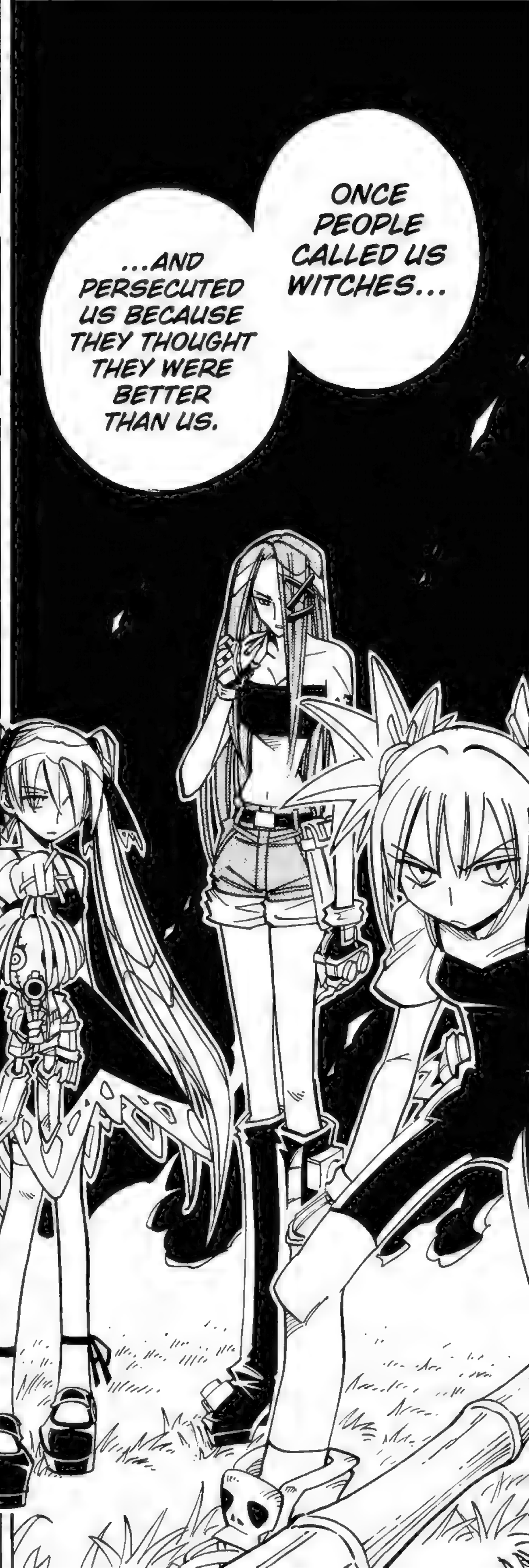


KRUNCH

BUT WE ALL FEEL THE SAME WAY.
WE CAN'T DAWDLE HERE.
WHUP

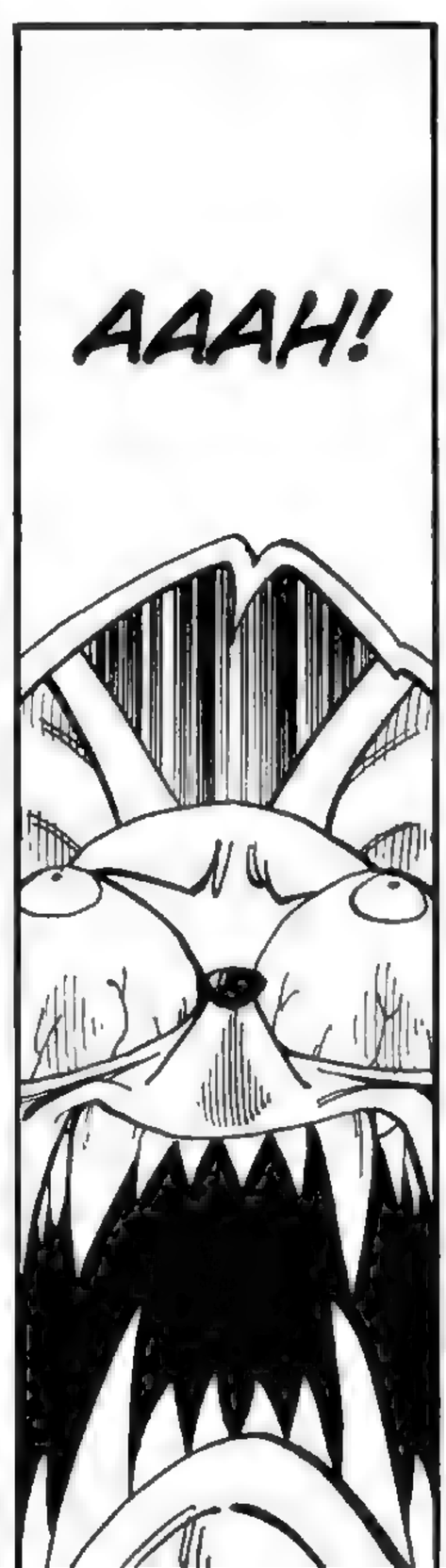
...THE SAME WAY SHE DOES!
SO I FEEL...
VEEN
CHAK

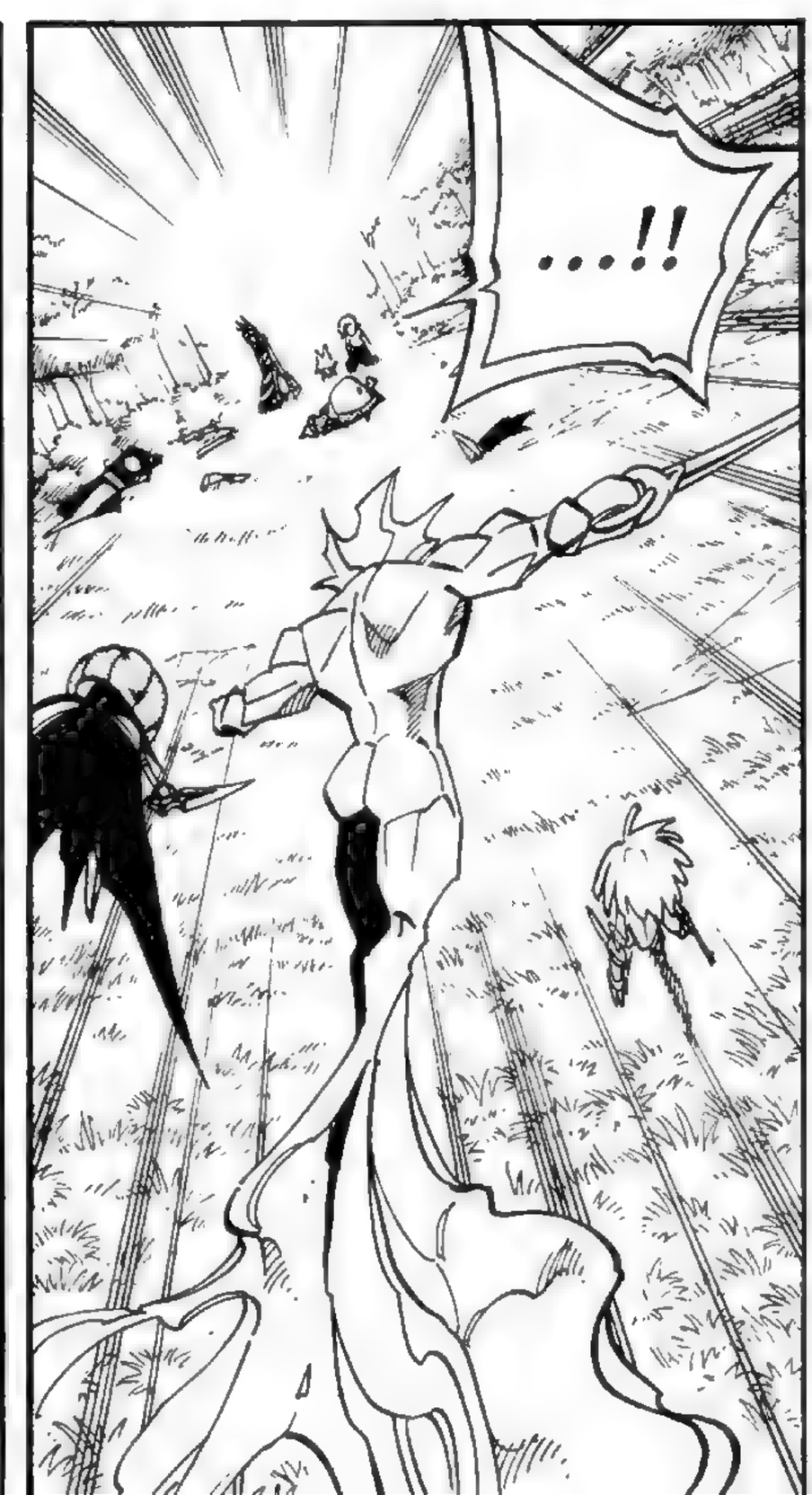
...CAN NEVER BE FORGIVEN.
THE BURNING TIMES...
FLOOSH


...AND PERSECUTED US BECAUSE THEY THOUGHT THEY WERE BETTER THAN US.
ONCE PEOPLE CALLED US WITCHES...

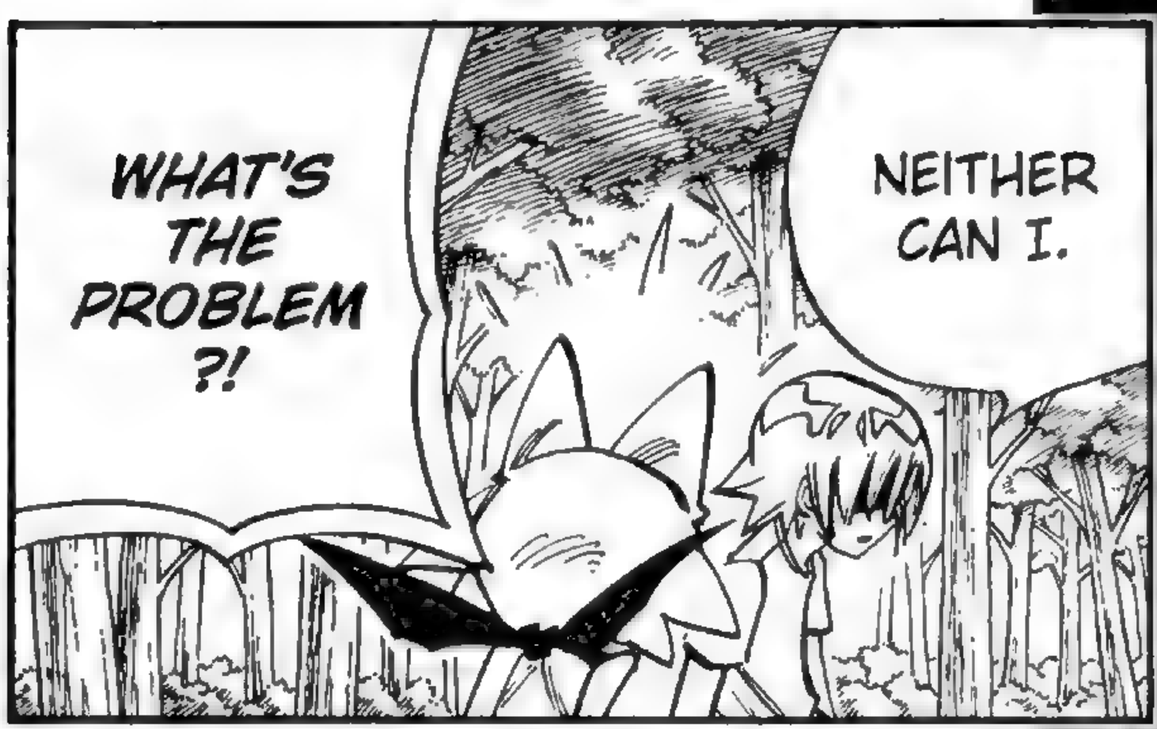
YOU WILL KNOW OUR PAIN!!

AND NOW...

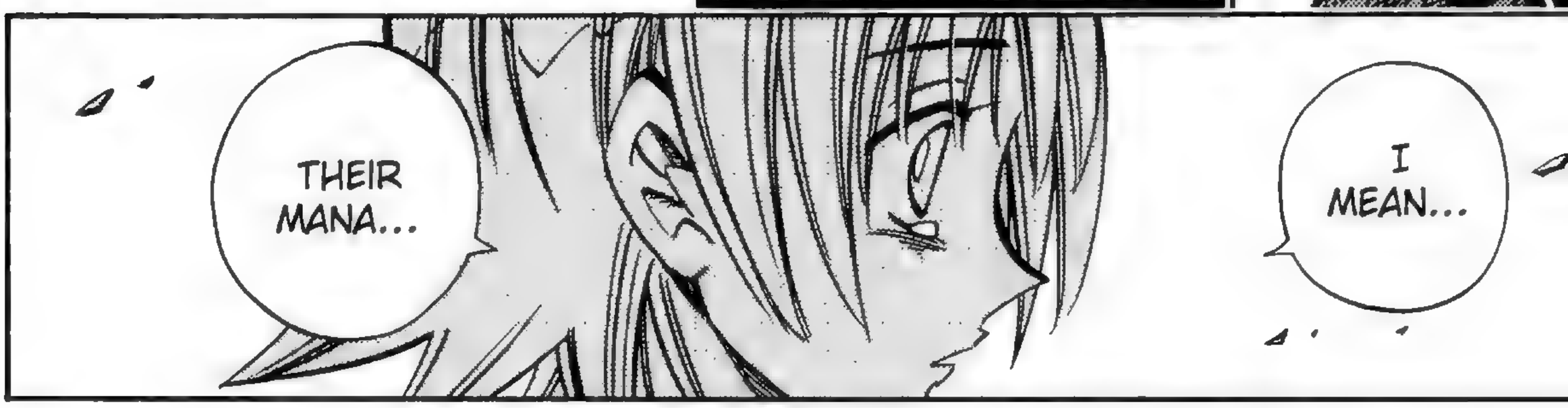




HUH?


WHAT'S THE PROBLEM ?!
NEITHER CAN I.

I CAN'T.


THEIR MANA...
I MEAN...

...THAT I CAN'T FIGHT IT.
...IS SO HORRIBLY DEEP AND DARK AND SAD...

I'LL TAKE THE ONE IN THE PINK!!
HA HA!!

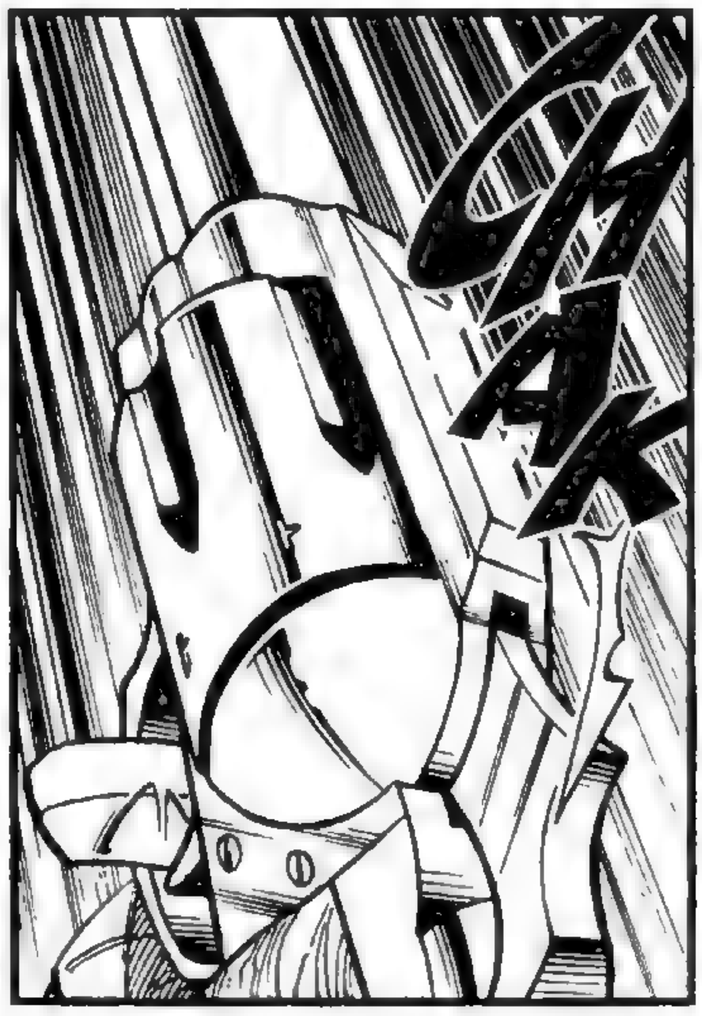
...?!

YOU AND CHUCK TAKE THE CHINESE GIRL!!

JACK!!

TEAR THEM TO PIECES !!

RIP THEM UP!



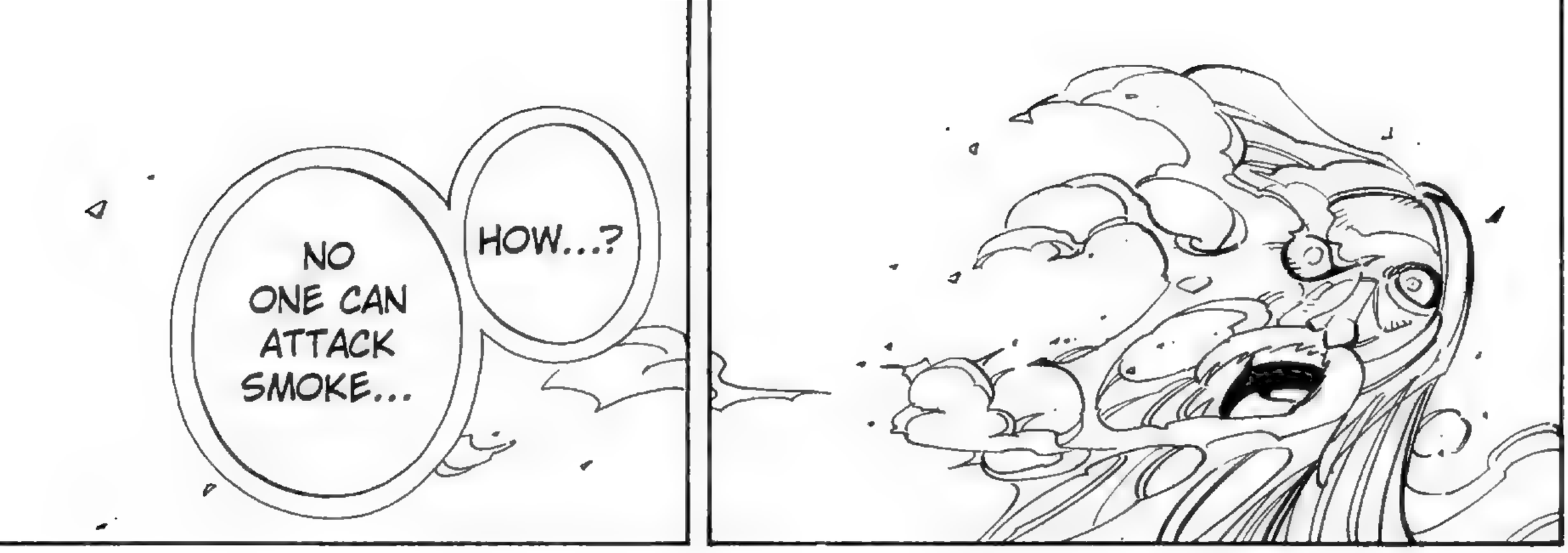
THAT'S FAR ENOUGH.

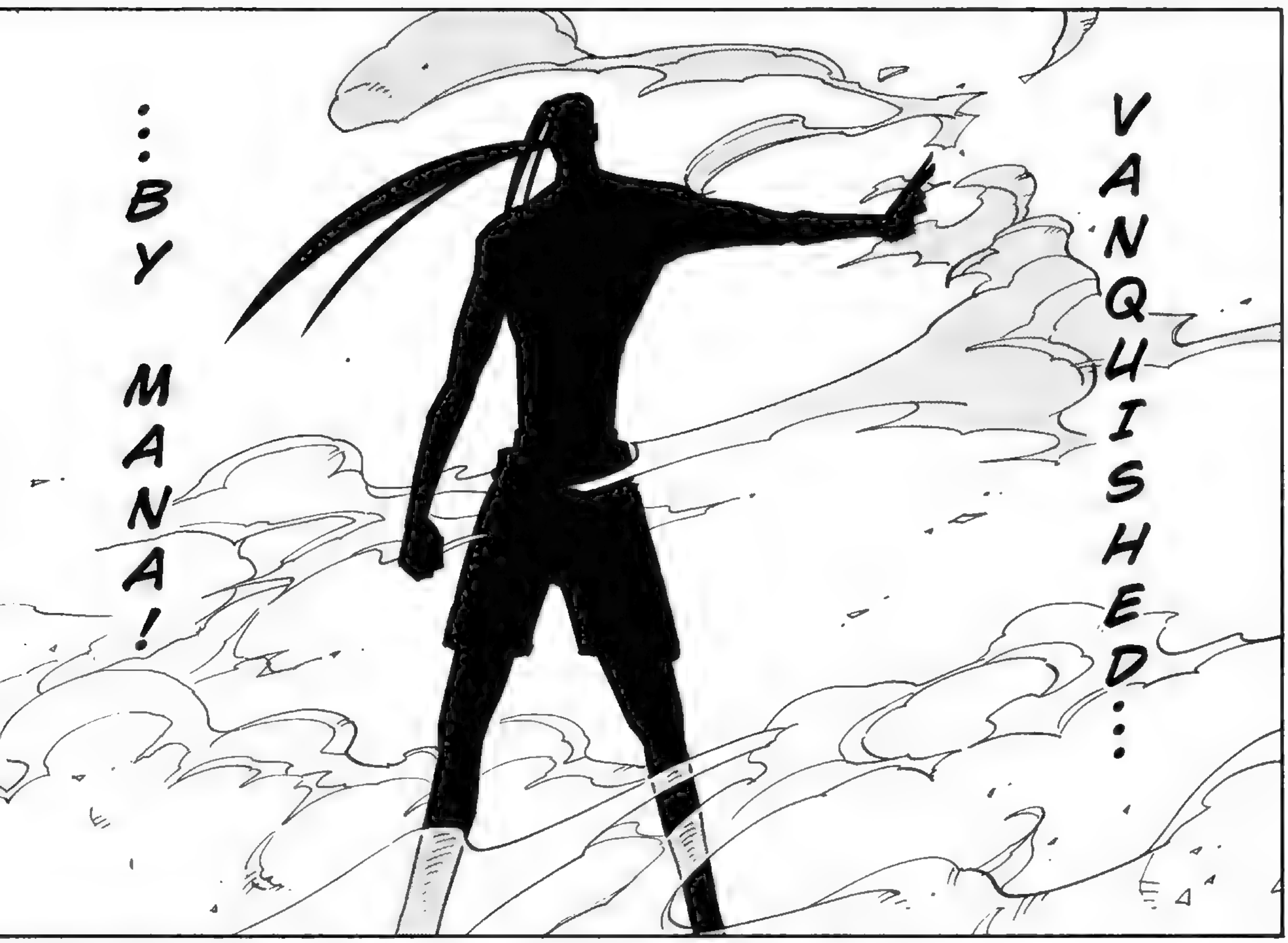
WHA-

WHA-

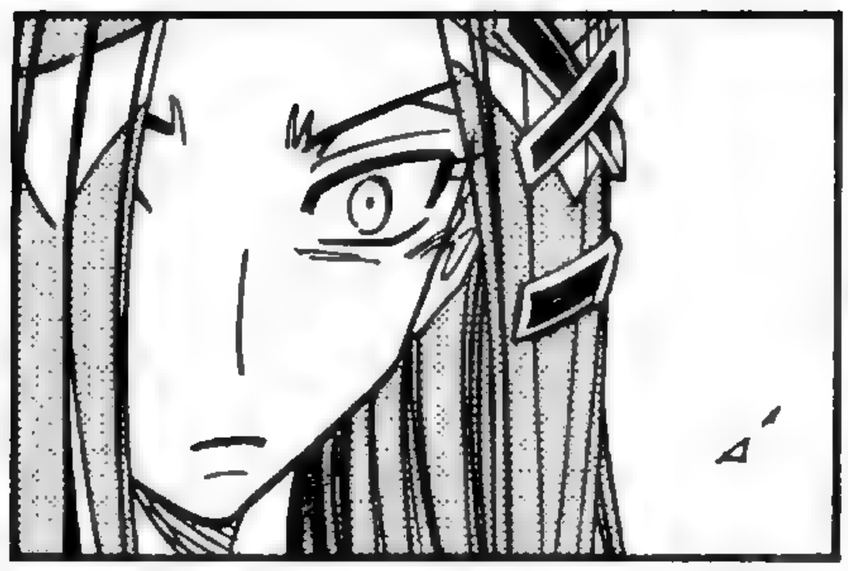
WHA-

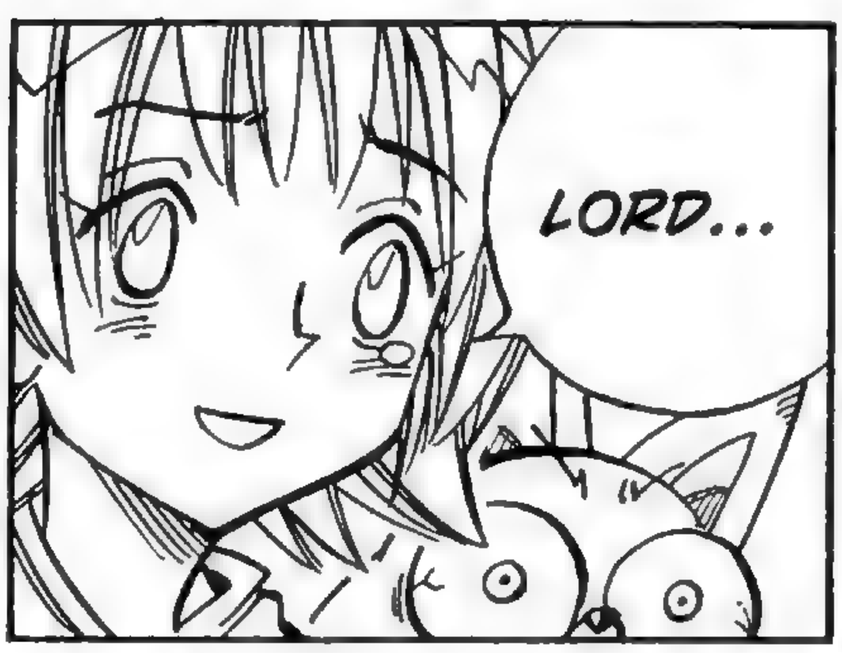
WHAAAAT?!
奉納
KRUNCH
WHOOM


NO ONE CAN ATTACK SMOKE...
HOW...?


...BY MANA!
VANQUISHED...

HUFF
LOOKS LIKE ANNA HAS TAKEN THE KIDS AWAY.
THANK GOODNESS.
HUFF
HUFF
THAT WAS CLOSE.
HUFF



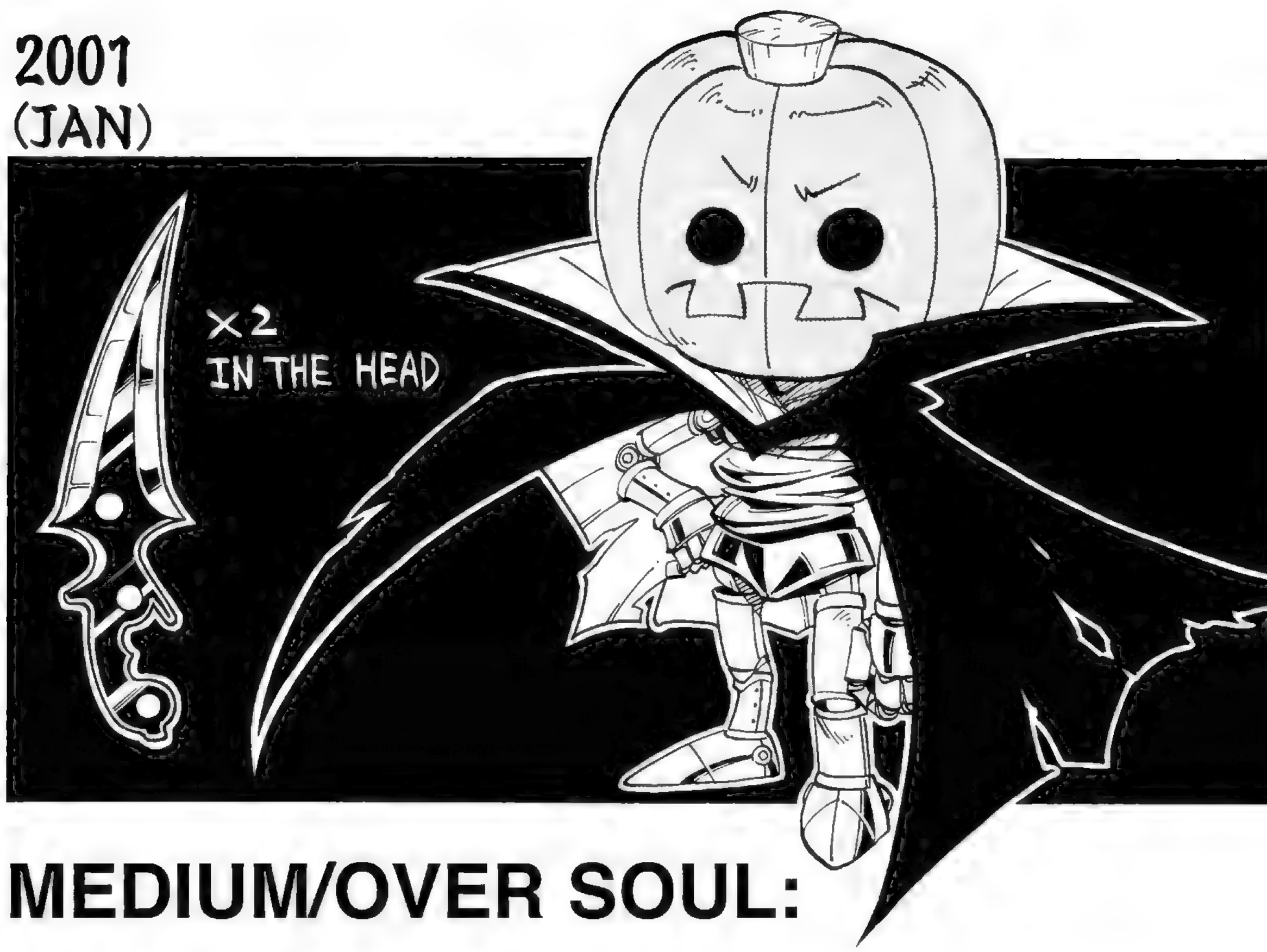


YOU'RE ALL SAFE NOW!

HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
HUFF
UNDER-SHORTS ...

A FLASHER !!
EEEK
EEEK
AAAH!!

2001
(JAN)



MEDIUM/OVER SOUL:

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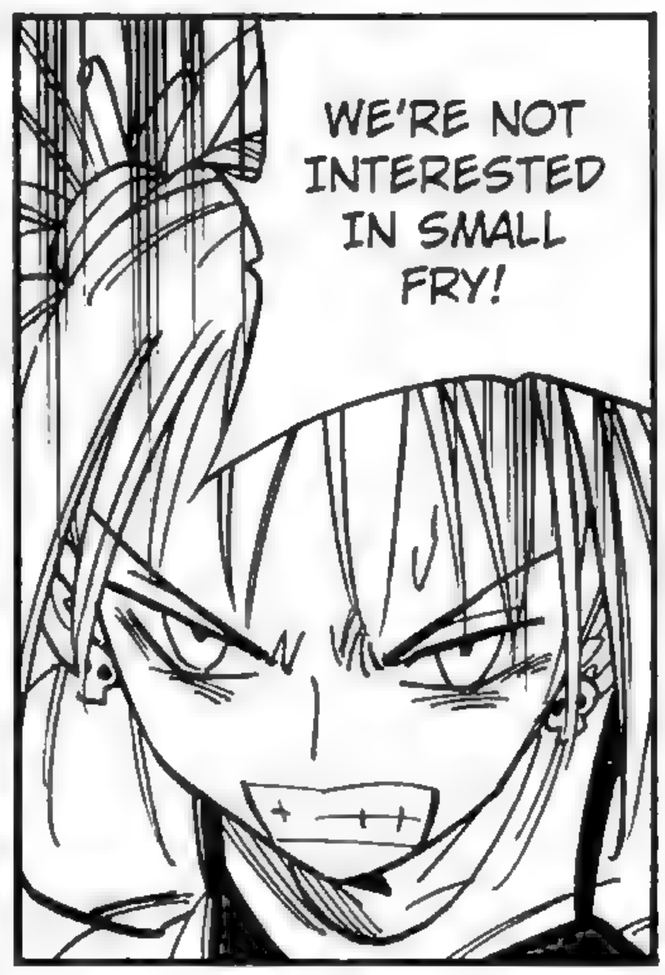
JACK

Reincarnation 161: The Crying Mask

SO WHAT IF YOU'RE MIKIHISA ASAKURA?!

SHUT UP, YOU MASKED WEIRDO !!



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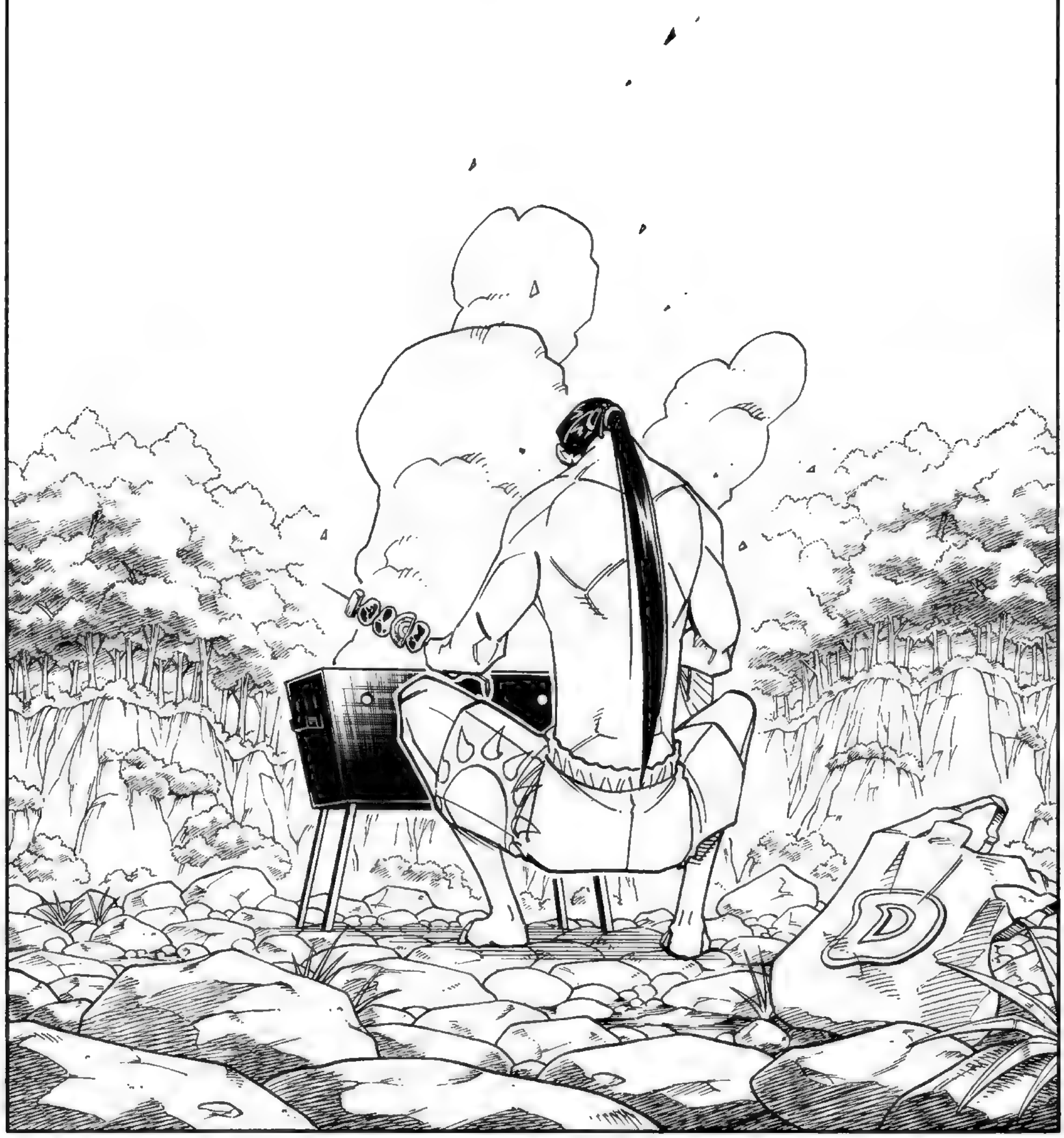
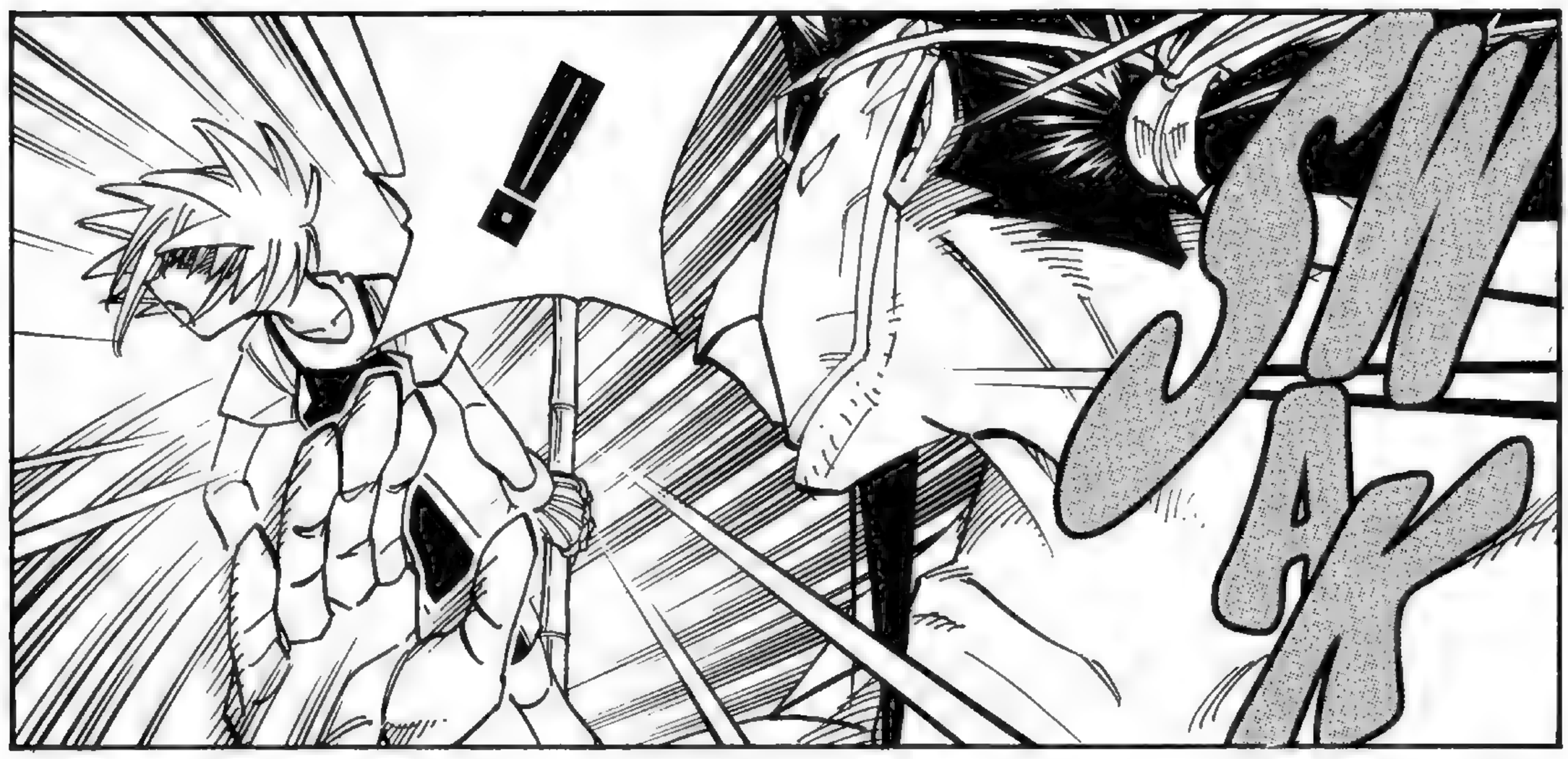




READ THIS WAY
WHAT THE ...?
...!!
?!
HE...
HE SLAPPED THEM?!
...AND BEHAVE IN A CIVILIZED MANNER.
...SHOULD AVOID USING FOUL LANGUAGE ...
YOUNG LADIES ...

WHY, YOU!!

EVEN MY PARENTS NEVER HIT ME!!

FEEL FREE TO TALK TO ME ABOUT ANYTHING.

THEN I'LL BE YOUR NEW DADDY.

PAT

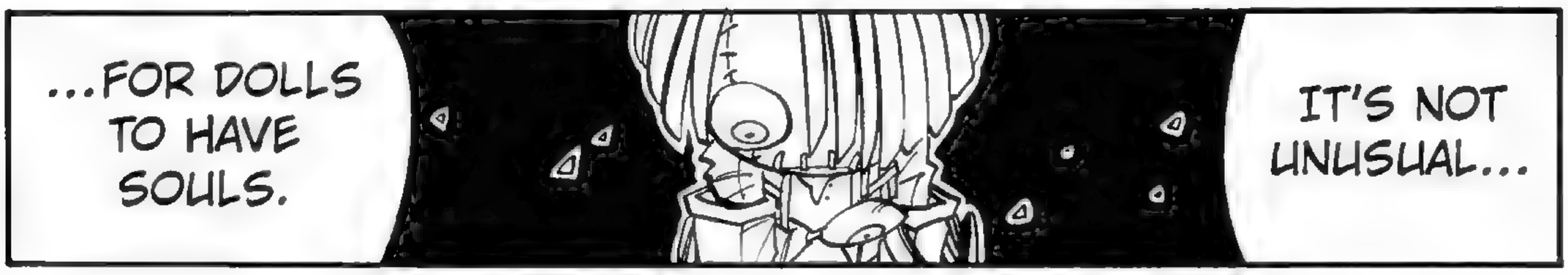
BUH...

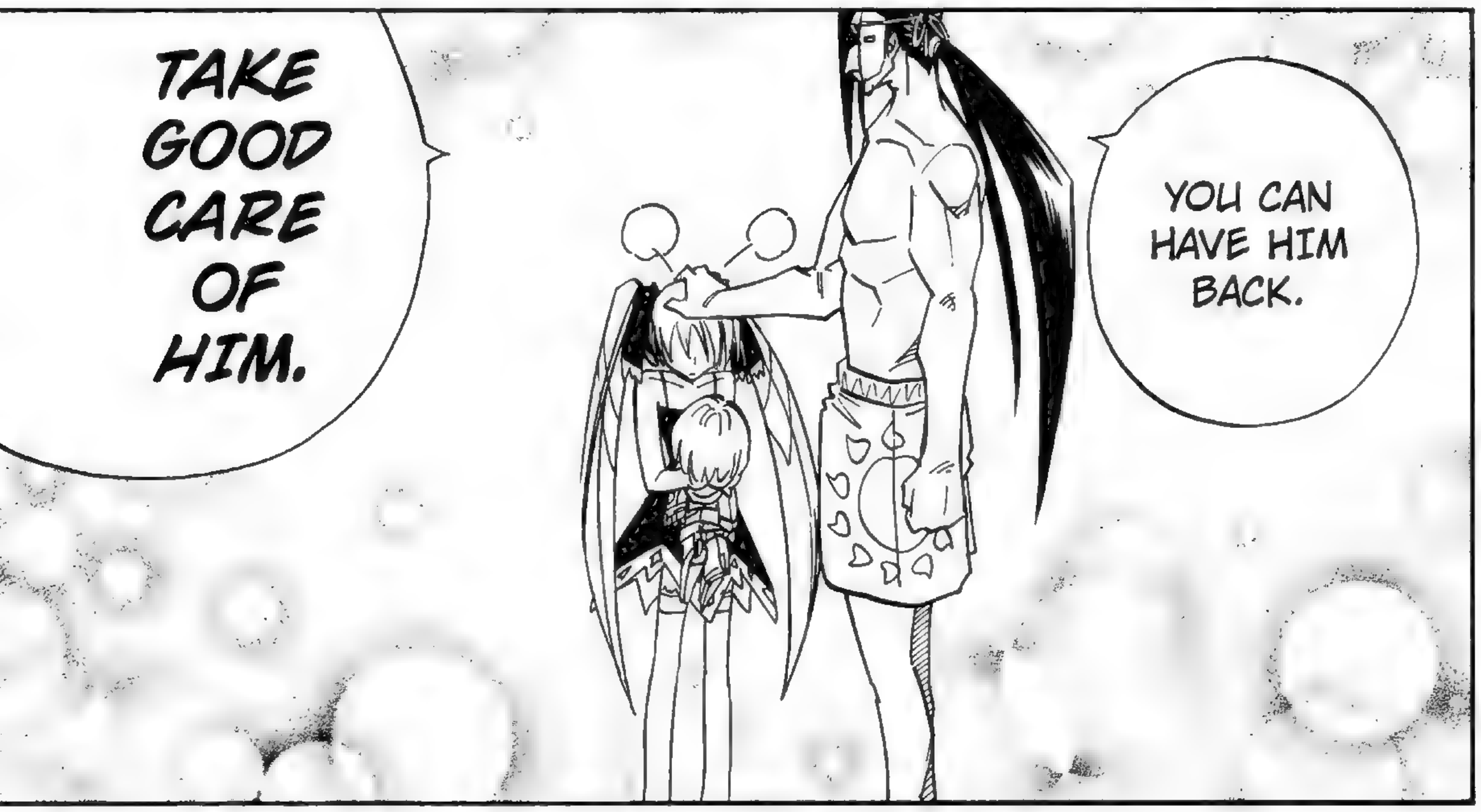
SHAKE SHAKE SHAKE

!!

!
EEP
WHOP

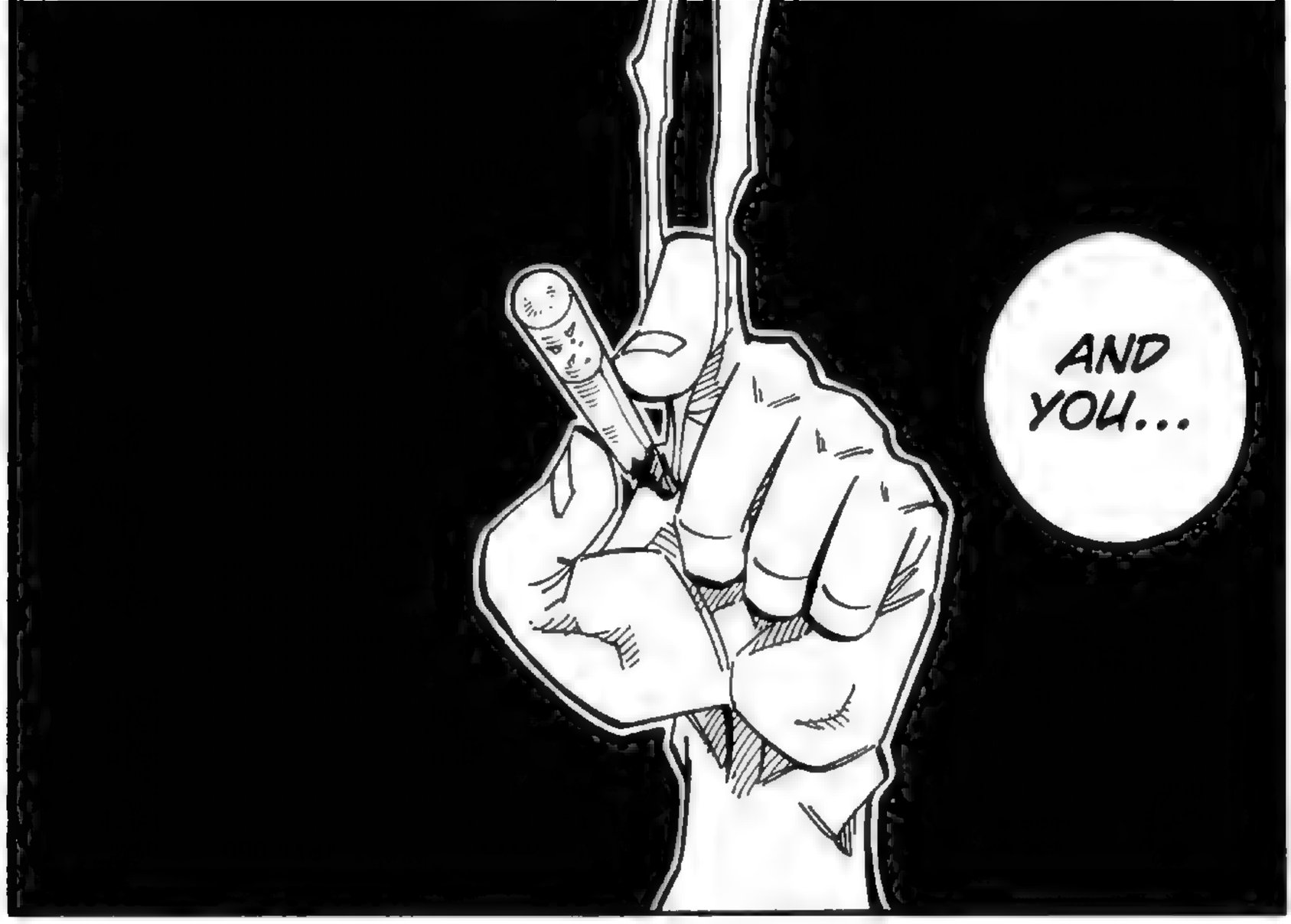
...CREEPY!!
HE'S...

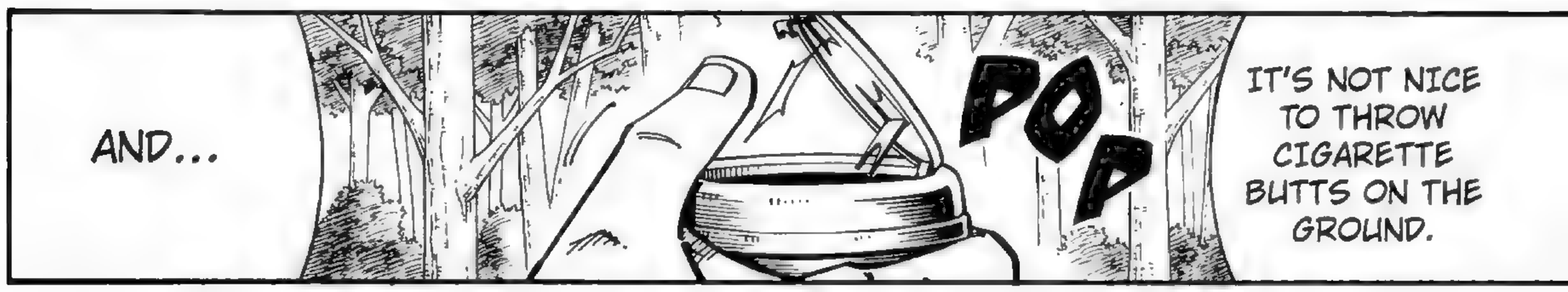

...FOR DOLLS TO HAVE SOULS.
IT'S NOT UNUSUAL...

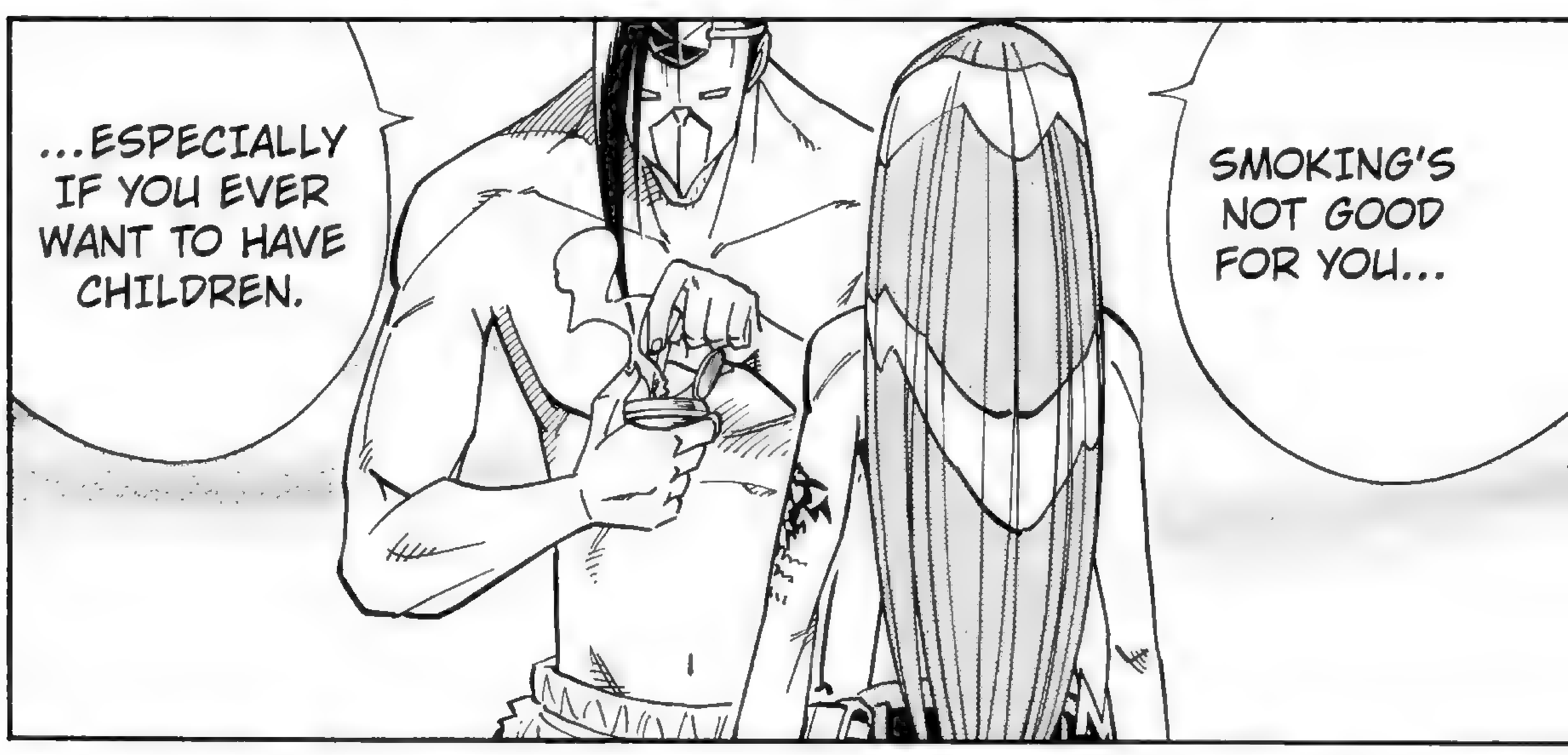

TAKE GOOD CARE OF HIM.
YOU CAN HAVE HIM BACK.

ASH-CROFT, WHAT ARE YOU...?
HEY!

...?!


AND YOU...


AND...
POP
IT'S NOT NICE TO THROW CIGARETTE BUTTS ON THE GROUND.


...ESPECIALLY IF YOU EVER WANT TO HAVE CHILDREN.
SMOKING'S NOT GOOD FOR YOU...

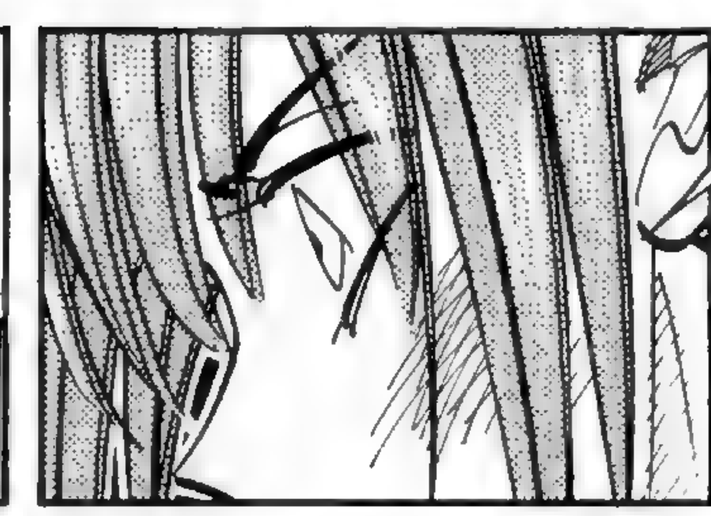
AND YOU TWO...

HOW DID HE GET MY CIGARETTE?
H-HOW DID HE DO THAT?

...

SWAK SWAK

HEY, MICKEY !!
HUH?!



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...WERE YOU FIGHTING FOR?
WHAT...

BUT WHAT'S THE POINT OF FIGHTING WHEN THE ONES YOU WANT TO PROTECT ARE GONE?

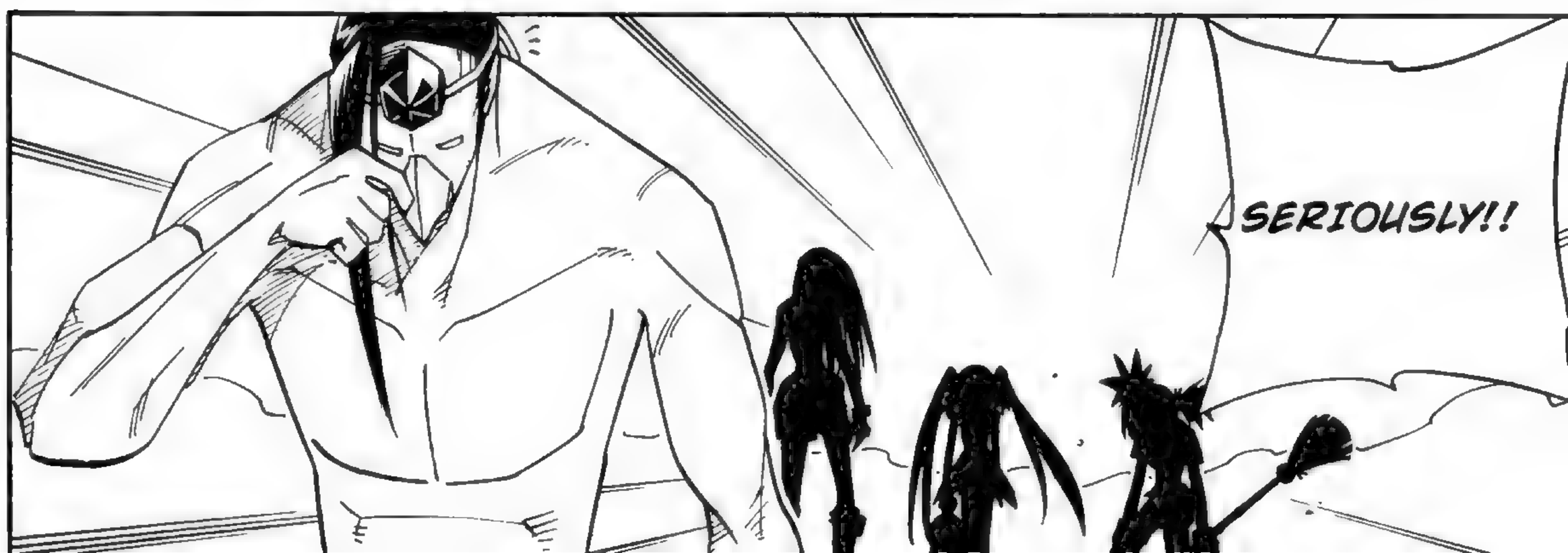
...TO FIGHT TO PROTECT OTHERS.
IT'S A GOOD THING...

LORD M--

I THINK WE WERE RIGHT TO FIGHT.
EXCUSE ME, MR. ASAKURA.
IT'S TRUE, WE ALMOST DIED JUST NOW...

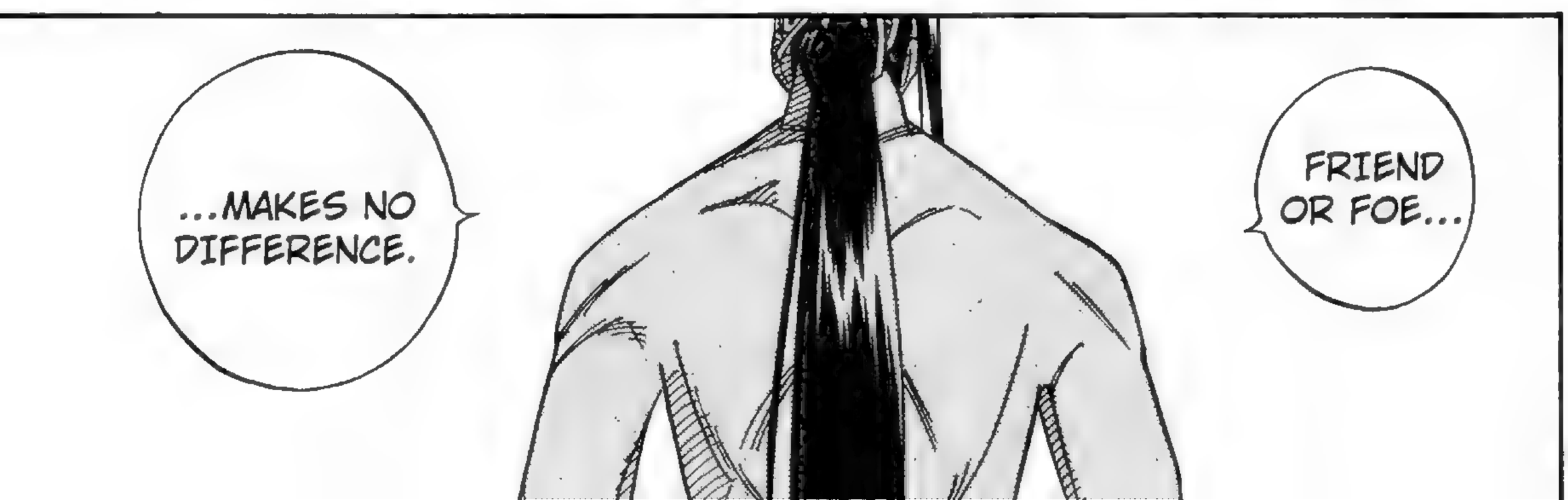
IT WOULD BE A TRAGEDY IF YOU GOT KILLED!!

THOSE GIRLS STAND BETWEEN US AND OUR OBJECTIVE!!
BUT IT WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN POINT-LESS!

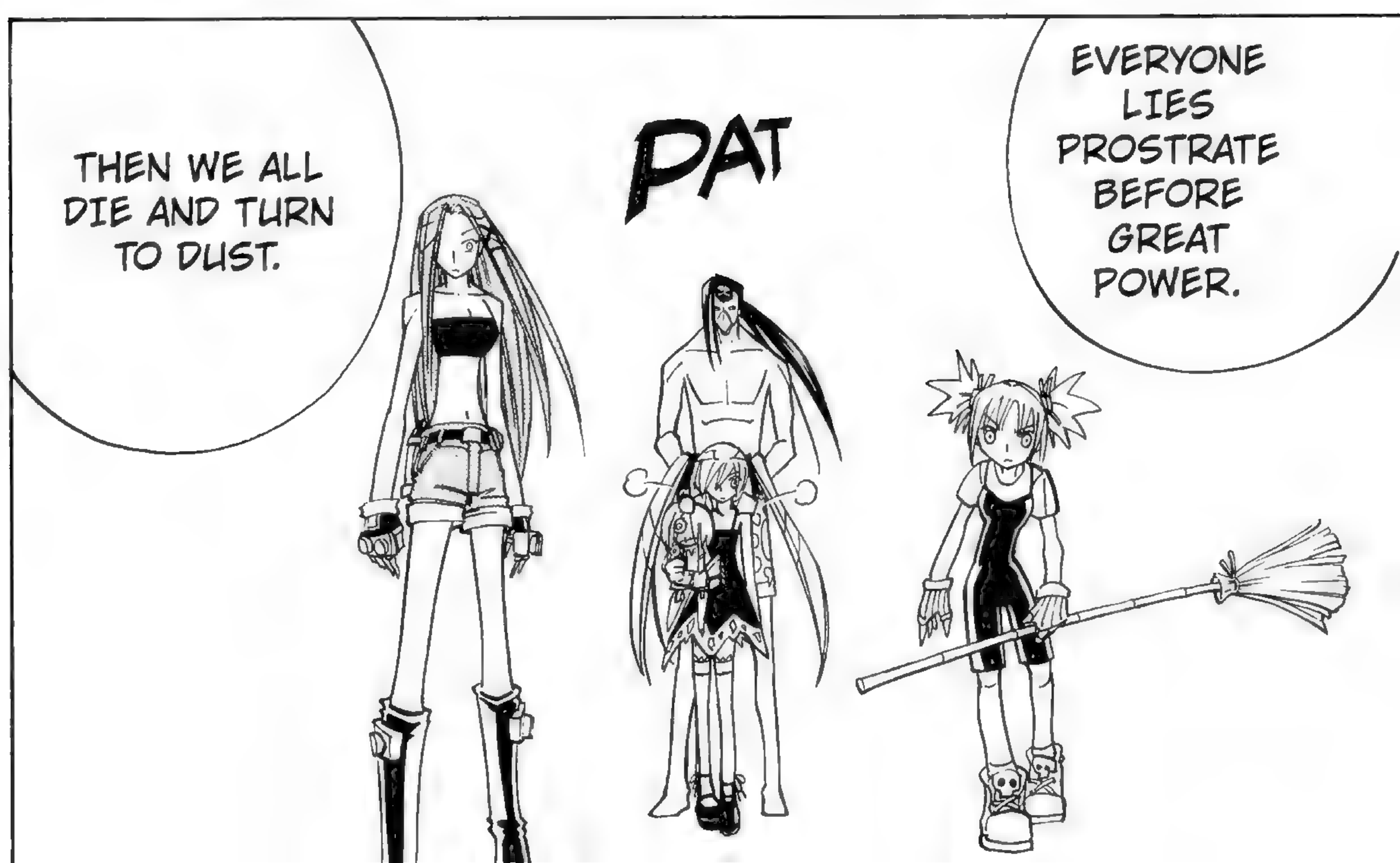

SERIOUSLY!!

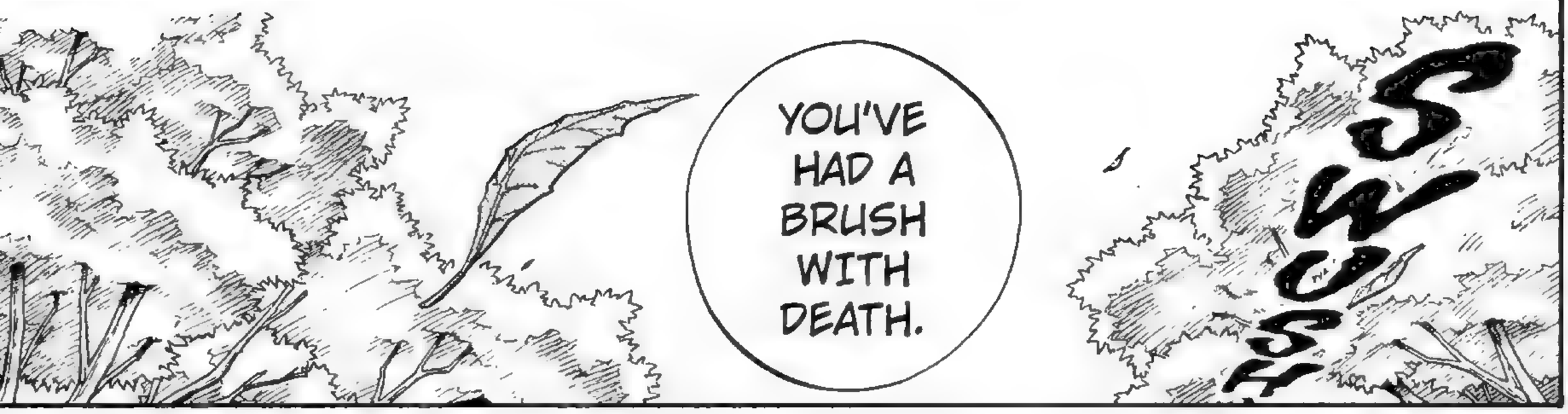
NOW A LECTURE? WHO DOES HE THINK HE IS?

WHAT'S WITH THIS DUDE?!



POWER CRUSHES EVERY-THING.




YOU'VE HAD A BRUSH WITH DEATH.
SWOOSH

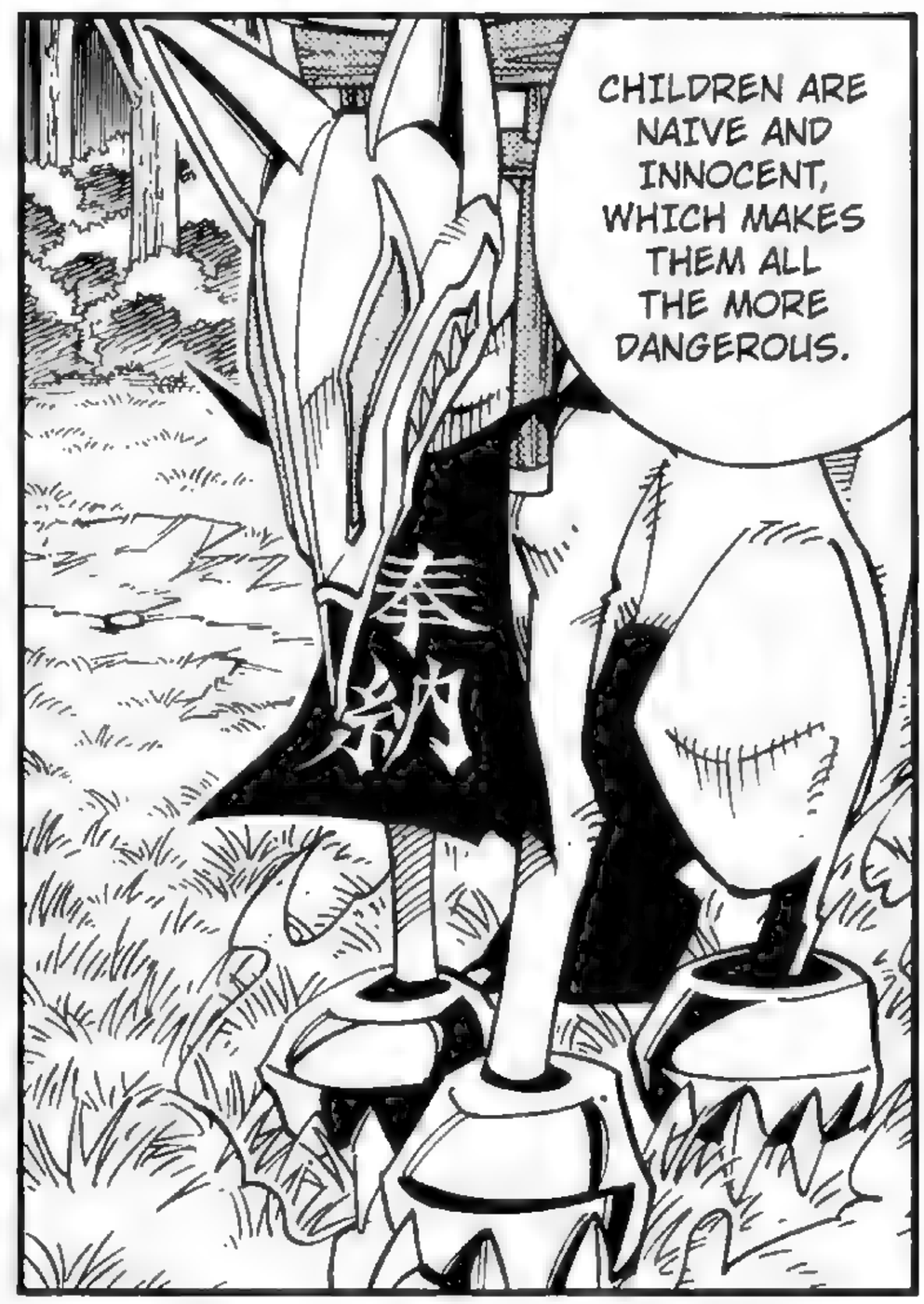
...WE'D ALL BE DEAD NOW.
IF THOSE KIDS HAD ACTIVATED THE GOLEM OF WAR...

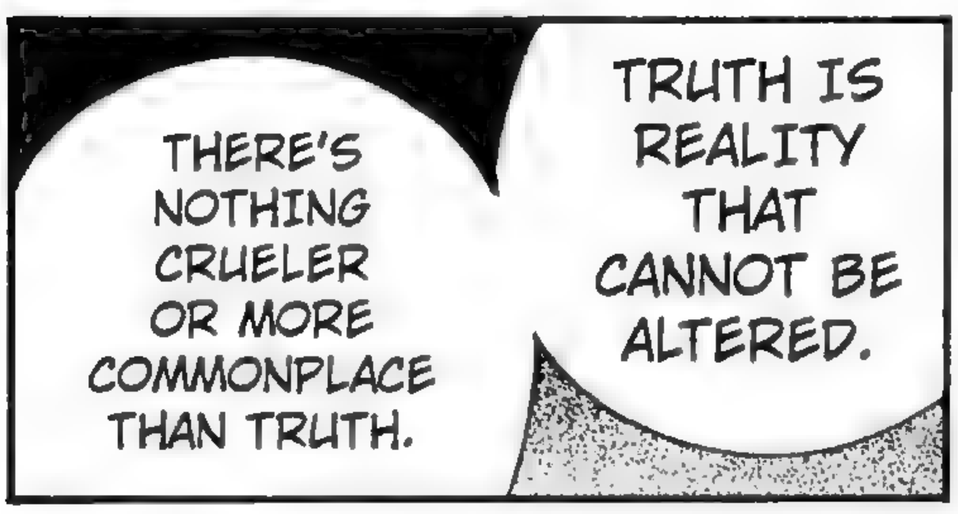
WHAT?

...!

AND THAT'S WHY I HAVE TO STAY CLOSE TO THEM.
THAT IS THEIR TERRIBLE POWER.

THEY MAY LIE, BUT THEY WILL ALWAYS BE TRUE TO THEMSELVES.
奉納


CHILDREN ARE NAIVE AND INNOCENT, WHICH MAKES THEM ALL THE MORE DANGEROUS.
奉納


THERE'S NOTHING CRUELER OR MORE COMMONPLACE THAN TRUTH.
TRUTH IS REALITY THAT CANNOT BE ALTERED.

AND THAT IS TRUTH.

DON'T THROW AWAY THE LIVES I'VE SAVED.

TNP

GO HOME, IF YOU HAVE HOMES.

WHO CARES WHAT YOU SAY ?!!

DON'T BOTHER.

...!

WHAT?!

YOU'RE LATE.

SO THAT'S YOUR PERSONAL SPIRIT...

DO AS HE SAYS AND GO.
YOU CANNOT DEFEAT THAT MAN.

...
MAGNA-SCOPE.
I CALL IT...
INDEED.

MAGNA !!
GO.
DIDN'T YOU HEAR ME THE FIRST TIME?

...?!

FLAP
...YOUNG OFFICIANT.

BUT YOU UNCOVERED IMPORTANT INFORMATION. YOU'VE ACCOMPLISHED ENOUGH.

I SENT YOU BECAUSE YOU WERE EXPENDABLE.

SO THAT GOLEM HAD POWERS WE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT.

HEH HEH...

HEH

IT'S OVER.

MARION FALINA THE DOLL MASTER...

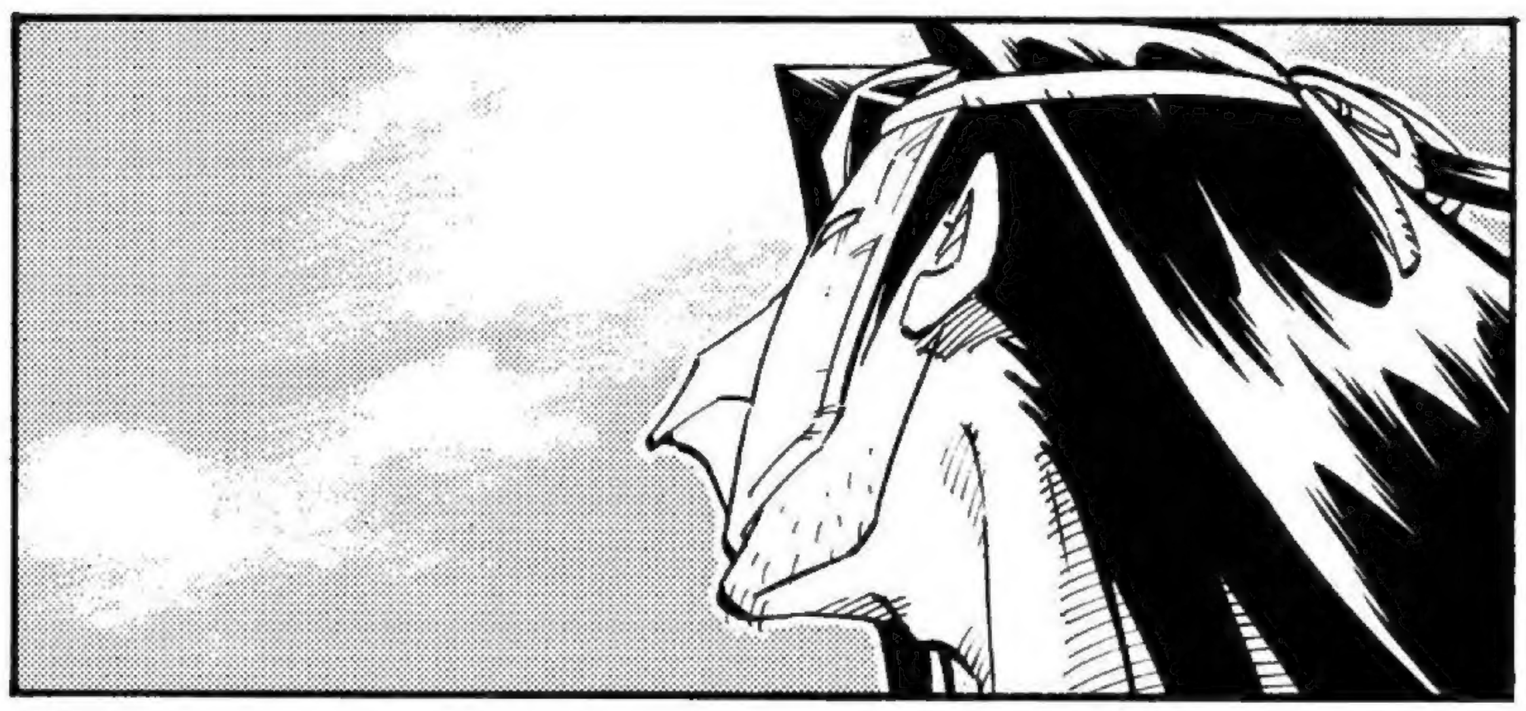
MATILDA MATHIS THE WUDUMAER...

CANNA BISMARCK THE ECTOPLASMATIC ...

YOU'RE STILL USEFUL.

COME WITH ME.

FWSSSH



IS THAT HOW IT IS...

...YOH?

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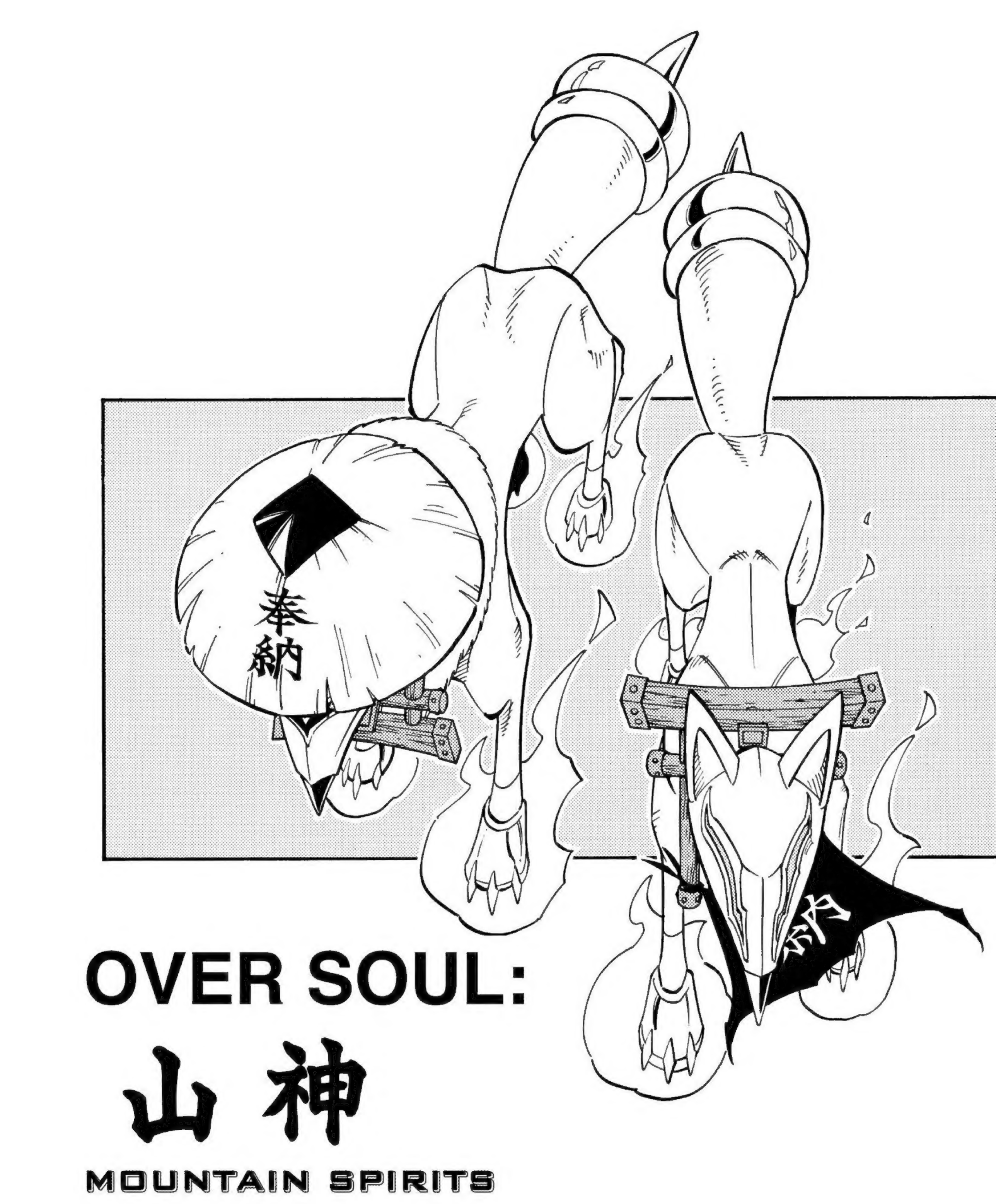

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MOUNTAIN SPIRITS